

WEATHER FORECASTS

For 24-hours ending 5 p.m. Sunday:
Victoria and vicinity—Easterly and
southerly winds, increasing to gales on
the coast, with cloudy and mild, fol-
lowed by rain.
Lower Mainland—Easterly winds, most-
ly cloudy and mild, with rain.

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TO-MORROW'S TIDES

High water, 2.27 p. m.; height, 9.1.
Low water, 11.50 p. m.; height, 0.9.

EIGHTEEN PAGES

ITALIAN LINE ALONG PIAVE HOLDING FIRM; TWO ENEMY THRUSTS

**At One Point Crossing Troops Destroyed or Captured;
At Another They Were Driven Back to Embankment;
Berlin Claims Monte Prassolan**

London, Nov. 17.—From Lake Garda to the Adriatic Sea, over the Asiago plateau and down the Piave Valley, the Italian forces are holding the Austro-Germans in check. Nowhere has the Italian line been penetrated for important gains although the enemy pressure is very strong. Teutonic attacks have been repulsed with heavy losses everywhere in the mountainous region except around Cismon, in the Sugana Valley, northeast of Asiago.

The intense artillery duel continues along the Piave. Rome to-day reports two more German thrusts on the Piave. At Follina the German troops engaged in the crossing operations were destroyed or captured. At Fagare, German troops got across, but they were driven to the embankment and their return was hindered by the Italian guns.

At the mouth of the Piave the enemy advance has been held up, if not stopped completely, through the Italian action in opening the floodgates of the Piave and Sile Rivers, resulting in the inundation of 70 square-miles of terrain.

An official statement issued in Berlin to-day says Monte Prassolan, between the Brenta and Piave Rivers, was taken yesterday by Austro-German troops, together with 900 prisoners.

Italian Report.

Rome, Nov. 17.—The German troops which forced a crossing of the Piave River at Zenson are being pressed back steadily by the Italian forces, it was announced officially here to-day. In other sectors nearly 1,000 prisoners have been taken.

Two more crossings of the Piave were effected yesterday by German troops. At Follina the German troops were destroyed or captured. At Fagare they were driven back to the embankment and their return was hindered by the Italian artillery.

More than 600 prisoners were taken at Fagare, on the Piave above Zenson, and 300 were captured at Follina, on the northern mountain front near the upper Piave.

On the northern mountain front and along the Lower Piave River, across the plain, the Austro-German forces yesterday continued with violence their effort to break the Italian lines. They effected crossings on the Piave at two more points but were driven back by the Italians with large losses, including nearly 1,000 men who were made prisoner. In the mountains the Italians defended their positions effectively.

The following official account was given out here to-day:

Attacks Renewed.

"From the Asiago plateau to the sea the enemy renewed his attacks on our mountain positions and has attempted on the plain to force the line of the Piave. Our troops with great stubbornness offered an effective defence, opposing an enemy numerically superior and counter-attacking him with admirable élan.

"Yesterday fighting occurred from Monte Fagare to Monte Castiglenghero, at the defensive line of San Marino, at Monte Prassolan and to the north of Quero, along the line of Rosca, Cismon, Monte Cornelle-Piave Valley.

"On the plain, between Salto and San Andrea di Barbiano, on the lower Piave just above Zenson, at which the Germans effected their first crossing, the enemy at dawn under the protection of the most violent artillery fire, forced a passage of the river. His troops crossed to the right bank at Follina and Fagare. The troops at the former place were destroyed by our artillery and by a sudden attack by the Lecce brigade. The survivors, more than 300 men, with 10 officers, were made prisoner.

Attacked and Shelled.

"The troops, by far the greater number of which had crossed at the latter place, were heavily attacked by the 5th Division, whose troops, the Novara Brigade and the Third Bersaglieri, excelled in courage. About 600 men and 20 officers were brought back prisoners and the remainder, driven up to the embankment of the river, were shelled by our artillery, which hindered the return of these troops to the other bank.

(Concluded on page 4.)

NO ACCLAMATIONS IN THIS PROVINCE

Indications Are There Will Be
a Contest in Every
Riding

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—No British Columbia seat will go by acclamation in the federal election. The nominations are to take place on Monday. In Yale, where acclamation for Hon. Martin Burrell, Secretary of State in the new Union Government, seemed probable, yesterday it was learned definitely that J. A. Macdonald, of Greenwood, would be in the field against Mr. Burrell. Mr. Macdonald in 1899 ran against R. Jackson for the Provincial House and was defeated by a small margin.

The last of the conventions will be held to-night—Liberal in the New Westminster district and Nanaimo, and Conservative-Unionist in Cariboo. The only district in which there will not be a straight Liberal running will be in Victoria, where the regular party leaders have decided not to oppose Dr. Tolmie, the choice of the Unionists. However, A. S. Wells, a Socialist, is running against Dr. Tolmie.

At Abbotsford yesterday the unanimous choice of the Unionist Convention for the Westminster District was Rev. F. B. Stacey, of Chilliwack. All other candidates withdrew in his favor. C. W. Munro declined to allow his name to go before the convention. The nominees included William Macneill, of Vancouver; E. A. Agassiz, of Agassiz; H. J. Barber, of Chilliwack; W. J. Manson and P. D. Roe, of Port Moody. All withdrew but Mr. Stacey. The straight Liberal convention in this district is to be held to-night at Mission. F. C. Wade, of Vancouver, is said to be the man who will be nominated at this convention.

J. T. Robinson, the Conservative-Unionist in Cariboo, handed in his resignation, and it is understood that the choice now is to F. J. Fulton. (Concluded on page 4.)

NAVAL RESERVE MEN TO SERVE AFTER WAR

May Be Kept in Service Six
Months; Order-in-
Council

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—Authority to retain the services of all members of the Royal Naval Canadian Volunteer Reserve six months after the termination of the war is given by an Order-in-Council which appears in the current issue of The Canada Gazette. A number of these volunteers were enlisted at the beginning of the war for a period of three years and six months beyond that time. The length of the war makes it necessary to extend the time.

Homesteads.

An Order-in-Council has been passed providing that no applications for an entry for a homestead in Western Canada shall be granted unless the applicant was a British subject at the beginning of the war and has since continued to be a British subject or a subject of one of the Allied or neutral countries. This new regulation will not apply to any alien-born person naturalized since the beginning of the war who is a member of the Canadian Expeditionary force or who has been honorably discharged from the Canadian army.

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FATE OF WOMEN WHO FOUGHT AT PETROGRAD UNKNOWN; CAPTURED

Petrograd, Nov. 17.—The fate of the women soldiers captured at the Winter Palace is unknown. It is reported that they have been transported to a place known as Liavovshina, beyond Bilevostrof, Finland, where it is reported they have been treated harshly. Three of them are said to have disappeared altogether. The British Embassy has made futile efforts to ascertain the conditions under which the women are held.

\$73,668,000 for Loan Throughout Canada The Latest Figure

Toronto, Nov. 17.—Dominion headquarters of the Victory Loan announce that the total amount officially reported as subscribed up to 11 a. m. to-day in all parts of the Dominion is \$73,668,025, divided as follows: Prince Edward Island, \$75,400; Nova Scotia, \$3,463,650; New Brunswick, \$2,676,125; Quebec, \$1,022,650; Montreal City and Island, \$6,314,850; Ontario, \$47,840,750; Manitoba, \$6,134,950; Saskatchewan, \$1,985,400; Alberta, \$2,165,950; British Columbia, \$1,805,300.

Opposition Groups in Hungary Insist on a Peace Effort

London, Nov. 17.—Count Karolyi, the Hungarian Opposition leader, is quoted by the Central News correspondent at Zurich as saying in a speech at Budapest: "Despite the recent events we will only support the Government in a peace understanding.

He asked Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, to state whether his former peace attitude as expressed in a speech still held good.

ANOTHER \$100,000 ADDED TO INDIVIDUAL PURCHASES \$5,000 FROM SWIFT & CO.

Saturday—Banks, \$59,395; Canvass, no report.
Friday—Banks, \$148,650; Canvass, \$202,900.....\$351,550
Thursday—Banks, \$74,900; Canvass, \$108,250.....182,150
Wednesday—Banks, \$112,500; Canvass, \$73,300.....185,800
Tuesday—Banks, \$107,350; Canvass, \$46,500.....153,850
Monday—Banks, \$79,300; Canvass, \$17,850.....97,150

Enthusiasm waxed high again to-day in Victory Loan circles.

Announcement was made at noon that Victoria's amount must

BORDEN IN ONTARIO.

Toronto, Nov. 17.—Sir Robert Borden will be in Toronto next Wednesday, and is expected to open the Ontario campaign here. He will address meetings in several other cities and towns in Ontario later.

The statement reads:

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GERMAN CRUISERS FLED; BRITISH WARSHIPS CHASED THEM; ACTION IN BIGHT OF HELIGOLAND TO-DAY

Allenby's Men Will Attack Turks North of Region of Jaffa

Admiralty Announces Light Sea Forces Encountered
Enemy Craft This Morning and Engaged Them;
German Craft Retired at High Speed

London, Nov. 17.—The Turkish forces which have been falling back in Palestine, apparently are preparing to make a stand north of Jaffa, according to an official report issued here to-day.

General Allenby, in charge of the British campaign, reported this development to-day to the War Office. The Turks were said to be attempting to prepare a position paralleling the river Nahr el Aufer, which flows into the Mediterranean about 4 miles north of Jaffa.

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NON-REGISTERED MEN
FERNIE TO VANCOUVER

Fernie, Nov. 17.—Four non-registered Class One men were rounded up by the military authorities here and were sent under escort yesterday to the Vancouver training depot.

See that Victory Bonds are in every home. Have you bought yours?

MOOSOMIN'S SHARE.

Moosomin, Sask., Nov. 17.—With about half of the canvassers in Moosomin and district reporting, \$110,000 has been subscribed to the Victory Loan.

BRAZILIAN REPRISALS.

Rio de Janeiro, Nov. 17.—President Braz has signed the bill providing for reprisals against Germany.

SIR ROBERT BORDEN
HEARD AT SYDNEY

Urge Support of Union Government So Maximum Effort Possible

Sydney, N. S., Nov. 17.—Sir Robert Borden addressed a mass meeting here last night, outlining the need for the Military Service Act and urging united support of the Union Government as the only sure means of having Canada put forth her maximum effort in the war.

"For more than three years Canada has been at war with the greatest military power that the world has ever known," he said. "When we broke out Canada was absorbed in problems of peaceful development. To-day we have an army corps at the front, and it is Canada's duty to maintain that force at full strength. Such is the intention of the Government. For that purpose the Military Service Act has been passed. As to the efficiency of that force, let me give you the opinion of an eminent American writer who has just returned from the front:

"Though certain crack British regiments are unsurpassed by any troops in the world, the fact remains that the Canadian army as a whole constitutes the most formidable weapon of this size on any front. This statement does not represent valuable personal prejudices, but the opinion of military experts."

"This appreciation expresses the position which our army occupies to-day in the eyes of the world.

Test of Nerves.

"The Germans say that this war will be decided by the test of nerves. They believe they can stand that test better than any of the Allied nations, and that therefore they will win. This decision will determine that test for Canada."

"In his manifesto to the Canadian people, Sir Wilfrid Laurier pledged himself to suspend the operation of the Military Service Act until after the holding of a referendum. That

is the school to which I have alluded.

"What has the Canadian Army Corps to expect from such a spirit? A certain school of thought, fortunately limited in numbers, declares that the present war was instigated by Great Britain out of commercial greed. It affirms that Canada should have taken no part in it, that her armies should be withdrawn, and that we should make no further effort.

"This is precisely the German view of Canada's duty.

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vehemently opposes the present Government and strongly supports the Opposition. If Sir Wilfrid Laurier is returned to power he must largely depend upon the support of men of this school. It is not difficult to imagine the outcome."

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means the paralysis of effort until this further effort proves useless. He asserts that sufficient reinforcements have been raised by voluntary enlistment, and he censures the Government for alleged inability of effort.

"In August, 1916, I entreated him to give his aid and co-operation in an appeal to the Canadian people, which might have brought about increased enlistment. He declined to give that co-operation. A letter was sent to him by the recruiting committee of the Canadian Club, of Hamilton, asking him to give a written endorsement to their effort to arouse new interest and activity in recruiting.

"Mr. Rowell sent encouraging messages in response to the appeal of the Hamilton club.

"I will give you the exact terms of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's reply of February 26 last:

"I have the honor of the receipt of your favor of the 26th inst. I am sorry that I cannot send you an affirmative answer. I will look into the matter, and will keep it under advisement.

"Believe me, yours sincerely,

"WILFRID LAURIER."

"I am informed that he had made no further reply.

Wrong Attitude.

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UPHEAVAL COMING
IN AUSTRIA, SAYS
SIR GEORGE REID

Philadelphia, Nov. 17.—The end of the war will come in 12 months as the result of a racial and social upheaval in Austria-Hungary, in the opinion of Sir George Reid, former Prime Minister of Australia, who spoke here yesterday.

"I think the drive on Italy is one of the worst disasters of the war," said Sir George, "and but for it there would have been a quick end to all the troubles. Austria is crumbling. Germany had to summon all her power to hold her ally on her feet. But I call on you to notice that when the Allies advance on the west front they hold what they gain."

NORWEGIANS WILL
BOYCOTT SHIPPING
OF GERMAN NATION

Christiania, Nov. 17.—The Tidens Tegn says the Norwegian Water Association has passed a resolution proclaiming a complete boycott of German shipping. German trade and German citizens in Norway. The chairman of the association said that if German ships were unable to load or unload in Norway, the prohibition against exports could be abolished, and that if food should be refused to German subjects they would soon leave the country. Thus the lives of Norwegian sailors would not be exposed to the present dangers.

Similar resolutions have been adopted in other Norwegian towns.

SOME GREEK AIRMEN
HELPED BOMB TURKS

London, Nov. 17.—In connection with the visit to London of Premier Venizelos it is announced that Greek naval airmen participated in the recent air raid on the Gallipoli Peninsula and Constantinople. For the air work three Greek officers have been awarded British decorations.

In the same connection it is announced that "Greek naval and military forces are taking a gallant part in the operations on the Salonic front."

HOW TO RELIEVE
HEAD NOISESGOOD ADVICE FOR THOSE WHO
FEAR DEAFNESS.

People who are growing hard of hearing and who experience a stuffy feeling of pressure against their ear drums, accompanied by buzzing, ringing, seeing in the dark, head aches, falling or steam escaping should take prompt and effective measures to stop this trouble. Head noises are almost invariably the forewarning of a cerebral affection, and most deaf people suffer from them constantly. Sometimes these head noises become so distracting and nerve-racking, with their never ceasing "throb" they distract the mind from other important complete nervous breakdown may result. Thanks to a remarkable prescription, it is now possible to lessen the severity of these head noises and to completely drive them away. With the following of the head noises the hearing also greatly improved and very frequently can be restored to normal. It can be easily prepared at home and is a positive and most effective treatment for this trouble. From your druggist secure 1 oz. Parment (Double Strength), take this home and add to it 1 pint of hot water and 1 ounce of granulated sugar. Stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. Parment is used in this way not only to reduce the tone and the inflammation in the swelling in the brain, but also to thus to equalize the air pressure on the drum, but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear, and the results it gives are usually quick and effective.

Every person who has catarrh in any form should give this recipe a trial.

SASKATOON'S SHARE.

Winnipeg, Nov. 17.—Winnipeg's sub-

scriptions to the Victory Loan are now

approaching the \$7,000,000 mark, almost

half the allocated amount. The only

large subscription was that of the Sov-

ereign Life Assurance Company, \$100,-

000.

VENIZELOS DECLares
GREEK SPIRIT BETTER

London, Nov. 17.—Premier Venizelos

of Greece, who came to London from

Italy with Mr. Lloyd George, said to-

day that the spirit of the Greek people

was rising and that they were prepar-

ing to participate more wholeheartedly

in the war.

The Premier, who appeared in splen-

did health, said that only the faint-

hearted could be affected by the vic-

situdes of the conflict, and that the de-

termination to win the war could not

be shaken.

MANITOBA EXEMPTIONS.

Winnipeg, Nov. 17.—The large num-

ber of claims for exemption which

were temporarily allowed was the fea-

ture of the returns from the tribunals

which reached the office of Manitoba

Registrar here yesterday. The 24-hour

figures were: Disallowed, 129; grant-

ed, 50; temporarily granted, 228.

FINDS ACCUMULATION

OF BUTTER AND EGGS

Commissioner on Cost of Living Not Satisfied With Conditions

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—A steady accumula-

tion of butter is commented on by

W. F. O'Connor, Acting Commissioner

on the Cost of Living, in his monthly

report on food commodities covering

the amount of food held in cold stor-

age on November 16 (October figures).

As to butter in storage, the figures

show an increase of 24 per cent.

The November figure shows a 34 per cent.

increase as compared with a year ago.

The Commissioner finds "it difficult to

appreciate either the reason or neces-

sity for this."

He points out that butter is not a

seasonable commodity and the realizable

export demand is not abnormal.

In his opinion the ruling

price of butter is unnaturally high and

is held up to some extent at least by

means of unjustifiable accumulation.

"The price of butter," says the Com-

missioner, "should decline. The Com-

missioners do not justify the present price

under the terms of the Order-in-Council

of November 10, 1916. Offers of

reasonable prices, therefore, to those

holding undue quantities cannot be re-

fused without risk of offence against

the terms of that Order-in-Council."

Eggs.

The Commissioner also expresses

dissatisfaction with regard to the egg

situation. He points out that the in-

crease of holdings is only 4 per cent.

but the circumstances are peculiar.

Exports, as shown by the Department

of Customs for October, decreased

from 1,574,684 dozen in 1916 to 951,134

dozen in 1917. "There has been," says

the Commissioner, "an absence of op-

portunity which has resulted in a fall-

off in demand. Perishable stocks

are being held notwithstanding, it

would seem that plain business pru-

dence would dictate the placing of these

eggs on the Canadian market at once:

"Otherwise there is likely to be a serious

lack of valuable food."

The Commissioner explains that the

holdings of the firms reporting quan-

tities of food commodities on hand on

November 1, 1917, who also reported

for November 1, 1916, show the follow-

ing comparison:

Nov. 1, 1917.

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Eggs 8,012,681 8,344,578

Butter 9,467,994 12,700,721

Cheese 10,706,386 9,323,547

Beef 23,760,993 25,765,467

Pork 5,130,433 5,159,928

Bacon & Ham 18,563,117 17,469,527

Mutton & Lamb 2,202,074 2,000,886

Fish 10,511,671 10,521,454

ARTILLERY DUELS
ON WESTERN FRONT

London, Nov. 17.—The following re-

port from Field-Marshall Haig was is-

sued here last night:

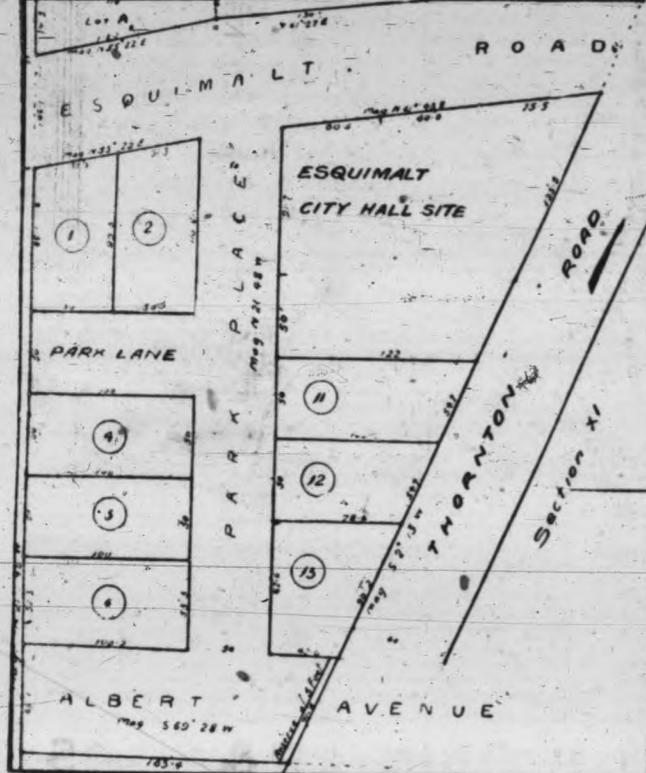
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by buying only that food from which you will derive the most nourishment. In all your baking use

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The Municipality before the war was given an option to purchase these lots from the then owner at the cost price (to him) of \$6,000, plus interest at 7% from time of his purchase to time of sale to the Municipality, and on the strength of the option the Municipality fenced the lots and erected some utility buildings on them. And they are at present being used as the Municipal Pound.

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It is an easy task but by patience and endurance can be accomplished.

You may win a cash prize by doing so. Many have done this as will be shown by the names and addresses of persons who will send you. If you find the faces and can get them out the picture and send it together with a slip of paper on which you have written the words, "I have found all the faces and marked them." Write



These old words as in case of need, both writing and neatness will be given away. It is worth your time to take a little trouble over this matter. Remember all you have to do is to mark the faces, cut out the picture and write on a separate piece of paper the words, "I have found all the faces and marked them."

DO NOT ASK YOU TO SPEND ONE CENT OF YOUR MONEY TO ENTER THIS CONTEST

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Upon receipt of your reply we will send a complete list of the names and addresses of persons who have won \$1,100.00 in Cash Prizes in this competition by the publishers of this advertisement. Although these persons are entirely unknown to us, any one of them will bring confirmation that our contests are carried out with the greatest fairness and integrity. Your opportunity to win a large round sum is equally as good as that of anyone else, as all previous winners of cash prizes are debarred from entering this contest.

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NO RECOMMENDATION AFTER BACON PROBE

Henderson Says He Has Simply Submitted Facts to Government

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—The report of the Commission which conducted the inquiry into the profits on bacon, has not yet been made public by the Government. The report was placed in the hands of Hon. T. W. Crothers, Minister of Labor, last week by G. F. Henderson, K. C., chairman of the Commission. Subsequently it was referred to a sub-committee of the Cabinet of which Hon. N. W. Rowell is the chairman. This sub-committee, so far as can be learned, has not yet dealt finally with the report. As a matter of fact, owing to the necessity of the departure from the capital of a number of Ministers on Saturday last, it is not likely that the sub-committee had an opportunity to give consideration to the matter, other pressing business having to be dealt with.

Seen yesterday by a representative of the Canadian Press Chairman Henderson said he had not authorized any announcements as to the findings arrived at by the Commission. Statements which had appeared in the press, he said, doubtless had been based upon deductions drawn from the evidence submitted when the inquiry was in progress. In some cases, he observed, it would be possible to make a fairly accurate deduction from the evidence submitted, but in other cases, evidence given by one witness might be materially modified by other facts presented to the Commission.

Questioned in regard to the statement that the William Davies Company had made a profit of 80 per cent. during 1916, Mr. Henderson said that his recollection was that some statement of this kind pertaining to a certain period had been made.

He added that the Commission had not undertaken to make any recommendation to the Government. He had simply submitted the facts to the Government as he had found them.

OTTAWA REGULATES IRON AND STEEL

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—Exportation from Canada of iron and steel in unfinished or semi-finished forms suitable for use in manufacturing will be prohibited by the Government except under license.

The classes of iron and steel goods upon the sale of which outside the Dominion an embargo is placed include pigs of iron, steel ingots, billets, rods, shapes, angles and plates. The prohibition of exportation is due to the serious shortage of iron and steel for munitions-making, shipbuilding and other manufacturers.

The United States Government has placed restrictions upon the exportation of iron and steel from that country and has established a priority board to pass upon applications for export licenses. That board will give precedence to requests for steel for munitions and other war supplies, and for shipbuilding. It will then consider the needs of the railways, railway car and locomotive building firms and other industries. Canadian manufacturers have conferred together with a view to laying their requirements before the United States priority board.

Export licenses will be granted by the Canadian Customs Department only for very special reasons.

LIEUT. B. SHIPTON, VANCOUVER, KILLED

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—Lieut. Bernard Shipton, who before the war was a Government fruit pest inspector, has succumbed to wounds received on November 2. The information has just been received by his widow, who with her little son has been living with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Williams, of this city, during the past year. Since the commencement of the war Mrs. Shipton has lost her father, while her eldest brother died in France. The remaining brother is serving with a Vancouver battalion in France.

Lieut. Shipton was awarded the Military Medal in June, 1916, for bravery on the field. After twice being wounded on the firing line he returned to England, where he took a course in musketry as an instructor and he had been back in the trenches for a month when he was killed.

CALGARY DELINQUENTS TAKEN TO BARRACKS

Calgary, Nov. 17.—Charged with failing to register under the Military Service Act, Worfond McCann and Robt. H. Young were arrested and arraigned before the magistrate in police court here yesterday. Both men made excuses for not obeying the law, declaring they did not believe they would pass the medical examination. They were handed over to the military authorities and taken under guard to Victoria Barracks.

URGES ACTION AGAINST AUSTRIA AND TURKEY

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 17.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt in an address here last night, declared that to "make the world safe for democracy" demands an immediate declaration of war by this country against Austria and Turkey. He urged that the United States take some action toward establishing a permanent policy of preparedness, and compare pacifists and pro-Germans in the United States with the disintegrating forces in Russia.

Buy a Baby Victory Bond for Baby. Have you bought yours?

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In my opinion no other medicine in the world is so curative for Constipation and Indigestion as "Fruit-a-tives." I was a sufferer from these complaints for five years, and my sedentary occupation, Music, brought about a kind of Intestinal Paralysis—with nasty headaches, belching gas, drowsiness after eating and Pain in the Back. I tried pills and medicines of physicians, but nothing helped me. Then I was induced to try "Fruit-a-tives" and now for six months I have been entirely well.

"I advise anyone who suffers from that horrible trouble—Chronic Constipation with the resultant indigestion, to try "Fruit-a-tives" and you will be agreeably surprised at the great benefit you will receive.

"A. ROSENBERG," 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

EVEN PRISONERS IN CANADA MUST LIST THEMSELVES

Calgary, Nov. 17.—Inmates of the jails and penitentiaries must either report for service or claim exemption, provided they come within Class One under the Military Service Act, according to instructions received yesterday from Ottawa by J. M. Carson, Registrar for Alberta under the Act.

This is not necessarily taken to mean that prisoners will be released for military service, but rather that the Government merely desires to have a record of every man available for Class One.

Fifteen reports for service and 17 claims for exemption were received at the registrar's office yesterday, making the grand total for Alberta as follows: Reports for service, 3,183; claims for exemption, 28,502.

FOSTER AND MEIGHEN ASKED BY UNIONISTS TO COME TO PROVINCE

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—Sir George Foster and Hon. Arthur Meighen have been invited by the Unionist organization in the election campaign in this province, and it is expected that they will accept. They may be assisted here by Dr. Michael Clark.

A LIQUIDATOR FOR VANCOUVER LIFE CO.

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—F. F. Busteed, formerly general superintendent of the B. C. division of the C. P. R., has been appointed by Mr. Justice Morrison to act as liquidator of the Vancouver Life Assurance Company. W. G. Anderson was appointed solicitor for the liquidator. The Vancouver Life was incorporated by the Dominion Government six years ago with a capital of \$1,000,000. It sold about half a million dollars' worth of shares at a premium of \$25 per \$100 share, but failed to sell enough to start business. Its charter recently was cancelled. It is said that the company is solvent and that a dividend will be paid the shareholders.

COWDRAY RESIGNS.

London, Nov. 17.—Lord Cowdray, Chairman of the British Air Board, has resigned as a consequence of Lord Northcliffe's letter to Mr. Lloyd George. Lord Cowdray was appointed Chairman of the Air Board on January 2 of this year in succession to Baron Sydenham. Lord Cowdray accepted the post on condition that he receive no salary.

Lord Cowdray, in his letter to the Prime Minister tendering his resignation, protested against receiving in Lord Northcliffe's letter the first information that the Prime Minister desired a change in the Air Ministry. Lord Cowdray added that he hoped the resignation would be accepted as speedily as possible.

TRYED TO BOARD TRAIN.

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—The dead body of a man believed to be Lars Samulson was found yesterday lying on the north side of the C. P. R. tracks opposite the Union Steamship Company's wharf, with the head, left hand and part of the left foot severed. The body appears to have been dragged about 25 feet, and the marks near the track would indicate that the man was attempting to board a train.

COMING TO COAST.

Edmonton, Nov. 17.—Hon. C. W. Cross, Attorney-General of Alberta, has just returned from the East in the interests of the Laurier campaign, will leave Edmonton for British Columbia points on Saturday night.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Lieut. M. T. Cohen, Toronto; Lieut. J. L. Watson, Wales; Lieut. G. Kelman, Scotland; Corp. H. K. Maitland-Dougal, Duncan, B.C.; Lieut. J. F. Welland, Galt, Ont.; Lieut. W. A. Mackenzie, Glace Bay, N.S.; Lieut. H. McKenzie, Montreal.

Died of wounds—Lieut. P. L. Barber, Picton, Ont.; Pte. R. H. Jolliffe, Vancouver; Lieut. A. E. Metcalfe, Harley, Ont.; Lieut. M. McNally, Durham, Ont.; Lieut. A. Fraser, Springhill, N.S.

Gassed—Pte. H. G. Bradshaw, Cleveland, B.C.; Pte. R. O. Boutil, Vancouver; Pte. J. W. Essemond, Vancouver; Pte. R. C. Knox, Vancouver; Lieut. G. S. Hopkins, Hopkins Landing, B.C.; Lieut. J. G. Chaffee, Freeman, Ont.; Pte. D. Kerr, Fernie.

Seriously ill—Lieut. W. T. Johnson, Zealandia, Sask.; Capt. (Acting Major) B. F. Davidson, M.C., Halifax.

Wounded—Lieut. H. R. Hipwell, Stonewall, Man.; Lieut. J. F. B. Muirhead, Fort William; Pte. W. W. Hemmingway, Vancouver; Lieut. (Acting Capt.) J. R. Millard, Toronto; Capt. (Acting Major) A. E. R. Turner, M.C., England; Pte. A. Carolan, Victoria; Pte. E. C. Ederholm, Kamloops; Lieut. N. J. Harkness, Sundridge, Ont.; Lieut. R. Horne, Sudbury, Ont.; Pte. A. E. Ronpark, Nelson, B.C.; Pte. C. T. Dresser, Vancouver; Lieut. A. S. Pearson, Toronto; Lieut. W. P. Allen, Belleville, Ont.; Lieut. T. Morton, Vancouver; Lieut. N. W. Robins, M.C., Sherbrooke, Que.; Lieut. A. E. Humphreys, Apaham, N.B.; Lieut. W. H. F. Ketcheson, Belleville, Ont.; Lieut. W. B. Turnbull, Pictou, Ont.; Lieut. J. J. Jackson, Scotland; Lieut. A. R. Thompson, England; Corp. J. Pittendreigh, Tyndall, Man.; Lieut. A. V. Bonner, Winnipeg; Pte. T. L. Cramer, Valdez Island, B.C.; Pte. C. Wilders, Vancouver; Pte. I. W. McLarry, Fort George, B.C.; Pte. J. Harper, Kamloops; Lance-Corp. J. Huddleston, Victoria; Pte. D. Macpherson, Trout Lake, B.C.; Pte. W. S. Johnston, Chilliwack, B.C.; Pte. R. Hunter, Vancouver; Capt. W. R. Pearson, M.C., Salmon Arm, B.C.; Pte. W. V. Jones, Vancouver; Sgt. S. J. Cook, Vancouver.

Returned to duty—Pte. F. S. Shepherd, Soda Creek, B.C.

Artillery.

Died of wounds—Lieut. C. Reilly, England.

Seriously ill—Gnr. C. H. Lee, Royal Oak, B.C.; Lieut. J. M. McQuham, Lanark, Ont.

Wounded—Capt. A. S. Dawes, M.C., Montreal; Lieut. A. F. Newburn, Calgary; Sgt. E. T. Raile, Winnipeg; Gnr. G. E. Norris, Victoria; Gnr. J. Flight, Victoria; Dvr. J. C. Nations, Vancouver; Lieut. H. G. Brooke, Georgetown, Ont.; Acting-Corp. M. G. Hunter, Vancouver.

Discharged from hospital—Gnr. G. A. Heinsen, Victoria; Gnr. A. Fox, Vancouver.

Mounted Rifles.

Wounded—Lieut. T. E. Greer, Moose Jaw; Pte. R. Billsborough, Fernie.

Engineers.

Wounded—Sapper G. L. Marsh, Mount Lehman, B.C.

Services.

Wounded—Capt. G. M. Foster, Pemberton, Ont.; Lieut. E. Philpott, Hamilton.

Infantry.

Killed—Pte. G. W. Johnston, Toronto; Pte. F. W. Gerrard, Toronto; Pte. W. Lougheed, Wiarton, Ont.; Pte. E. Lamarre, Kamouraska, Que.; Pte. A. Bachelor, England; Pte. S. Burn, Wales; Lance-Corp. W. J. Baker, England; Pte. R. D. Logan, Scotland; Lance-Corp. H. Cranfield, England; Pte. R. A. Brown, England; Pte. W. A. Currie, Young, Sask.; Pte. G. R. Cutting, Shallow Lake, Ont.; Corp. D. Torrance, Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. J. H. Nichols, Plevna, Ont.; Pte. G. H. Chapman, Uxbridge, Ont.; Pte. G. R. Gilmore, Meaford, Ont.; Act-Corporal W. M. Hedderwick, Toronto, Ont.; Pte. F. Offen, England; Pte. G. O. Singer, Truro, N. S.; Pte. S. Siroonian, Armenia; Pte. G. W. Gaunter, Toronto; Pte. F. Iguldene, Collingwood, P. O.; Pte. H. Turner, Sundridge, Ont.; Pte. R. M. Crawford, Elphinstone, Man.; Pte. C. W. Chalfee, Gormley, Ont.; Pte. D. O. Bailey, England; Pte. R. P. Scholli, Scotland; Pte. R. W. Cowan, Ireland; Pte. D. R. Greaves, England; Pte. O. T. Terrell, St. Boniface, Man.; Pte. A. V. Carter, Stoney Plain, Alta.; Pte. J. Rutherford, Manville, Alta.; Pte. C. H. Adams, Kenlis, Sask.; Sgt. J. Acheson, Portage la Prairie, Man.; Pte. G. E. Asham, Kinosota, Man.; Pte. A. Eremenko, Russia; Pte. R. McIlrath, Winnipeg; Pte. C. O. Mitchell, Scotland; Pte. E. Baranoff, Pittsburg, Penn.; Pte. M. R. Lalonde, Cornwall, Ont.; Pte. A. J. McDonald, Montreal; Pte. J. McMillan, Cornwall, Ont.; Pte. G. R. Miller, E. Owen Sound, Ont.; Pte. J. W. Walsh, Chesterfield, Ont.; Pte. W. R. Booth, Glenarm, P. O., Ont.; Pte. C. E. Page, Talbotville, Ont.; Corp. W. J. Chilman, England; Pte. V. Clark, New York, N. Y.; Pte. L. V. Canning, Wards Brook, N. S.; Lieut. K. McGoun, Woodstock, Ont.; Lieut. F. H. Burr, Cleveland, O.; Pte. G. E. Nelson, Annapolis Royal, N. S.; Pte. V. McInnis, Glace Bay, N. S.; Pte. Michael Matheson, Sydney Mines, N. S.; Pte. W. H. Malone, Sydney Mines, N. S.; Pte. E. C. Malcolm, Windsor, N. S.; Pte. A. L. MacNeil, Harbour Centre, N. S.; Capt. J. Black, St. Stephen, N. B.; Pte. A. Gavel, Argyle Head, N. S.; Pte. J. D. Kirk, Ireland; Lieut. L. Withrow, Moose Jaw, Sask.; Sgt. E. J. Leicester, Theodore, Sask.; Lance-Sgt. J. F. Henderson, Winnipeg; Lance-Corp. William Cornelius Gallop, Minnedosa, Man.; Pte. A. Hay, Winnipeg; Pte. William J. Gordon, Winnipeg; Pte. A. F. Lefebvre, Sherbrooke, Que.; Pte. S. Niosho



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A STATE OF MIND.

Some of the terms applied by anti-Unionists to members and newspapers of the Liberal party who are supporting the Union Government are vivid and forcible, if not accurate. These Unionists are declared to have been bribed and bought; they are "traitors" to Liberalism; they are rogues who abandoned their "principles," and more of the same kind. The gentlest reproof is denoted in the characterization of them as "so-called" Liberals.

If those accusations were true, it would be clear that the Liberal party in Canada was badly in need of a thorough cleaning-out, for the majority of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's English-speaking lieutenants are supporting the Union Government and with only two or three exceptions the Liberal press, headed by The Toronto Globe, is with them. Curiously enough, the same element which now is calling Messrs. Carvell & Company names, a short time ago was lauding them as real, simon-pure champions of Liberalism, "stalwarts" from whom would be chosen the party leader when Sir Wilfrid departed from the scene of his great achievements.

But these accusations are false. Sir Wilfrid himself does not join in the shrill scolding. He knows better. He knows that the Liberalism of Fielding is as sound and true as his own and he knows, too, that A. K. McLean and Fred. Pardee, two of his most intimate friends, not to speak of the scores of others who have broken with him, have not "sold" their principles. It is only the obscure elements among his followers who indulge in that kind of recrimination, men whose fetish is party gain and who cannot see Canada or its welfare except through their party spectacles. If Sir Wilfrid Laurier stood for full conscription they would do the same. If he advocated the doubling of the customs tariff, so would they. If he advocated a separate peace they would convince themselves that he was pursuing a wise, patriotic course. A few weeks ago they were attacking Bourassa as a sedition-monger. Now they are on the same platform with him. They even accept the blatant buncome of Rodolphe Lemieux because they think it is good politics in Quebec. Good politics—that's the thing.

If the Liberal-Unionists were as small as the men who are assailing their motives and integrity they would come back with a deadly retort in kind. They would say that German money was behind the campaign of abuse levelled against them, and would quote the Lansing disclosures of the source of the insidious propaganda against the selective draft in the United States as an illustration of what they meant. That retort would be just as true as the accusations which provoked it.

Men who are conscientiously opposed to conscription do not impugn the motives of those who support this policy. They know that their opponents are thinking of the best interests of Canada, and that they are putting their Canadianism above their party lai

The difference between them is solely one of method. Only men who have no fixed political or national convictions and who have no political inequality, attribute to those who disagree with them similar deficiencies. People who themselves are for sale are invariably the first to charge this traitor to their opponents. An unscrupulous person usually thinks everybody else is unscrupulous. It is merely a question of their state of mind.

RUSSIA'S PROBLEM.

The restoration of wire communication with Petrograd has liberated another flood of contradictory accounts of what is happening in Russia. According to these versions Kerensky forces are still between Tsarskoe Selo and Gatchina, although they have been beaten several times by the Bolsheviks; 7,000 military cadets and 3,000 troops are bottled up in the Kremlin at Moscow by 18,000 Bolshevik soldiers; the Cossacks have secured control of Kiev after hard fighting; Kerensky has disappeared after his officers turned against him and wrung from him a promise to give himself up to the revolutionary committee in Petrograd. As the Petrograd wires are in the hands of the Bolsheviks only one side of the Russian tragedy is being given to the world.

Enough has come through, however, to show that civil war is going on in the chief Russian cities and that the capital is still completely in the control of the Bolsheviks. On this it is not hard to predict what the outcome will be. Russia appears to be passing through an experience similar to that which fell to France in the Great Revolution, which wound up with a military dictatorship. In France the overthrow of the Bourbons was followed by an attempt of the moderates to restore order. Then came the extremists with their terrorism, their incapacity, their quarrelling among themselves for supreme power, and finally the anarchy which was crushed by the canon of Napoleon.

If Kerensky has disappeared from the stage, the cult of Lenin and Trotsky soon will follow him. Nobody who tries to apply the Marxian programme to the conditions in Russia can survive this maelstrom. Colonel Mouravieff, the commander of the Petrograd garrison, is master of the Russian capital to-day—not Lenin or Trotsky. And if the Petrograd story of Kerensky's disappearance is correct, the military leaders associated with him have taken the Provisional Government's destinies into their own hands. Russia's problem thus has become a military problem, just as the problem of France finally became a military one. After the present conflict, no matter which side should win, Russia will be controlled by the military. A Committee of Public Safety may be nominally in charge but the army chieftains will be the actual masters.

A correspondent of The London Telegraph writes that nowhere in his travels in Russia did he hear a word of sympathy for Kerensky. The people are angry with the Premier for the laxity with which he treated the Bolsheviks, while the soldiers are disgusted with his inability to maintain order. The railway workmen say that Kerensky, Lenin and Trotsky should be thrown into the Neva. There can be no doubt that what the mass of the Russian people, civilian and soldiers, hope for is the ascendancy of somebody who will do what Kerensky should have done had he been given the chance. They want a leader who will lead.

THE LAUGH LINE

TWO SLOGANS.

(Brooklyn Eagle.)

The British slogan is "Carry On!"

The German, "Carry Off."

Upon the recent death of an American politician, who at one time served his country in a very high legislative place, a number of newspaper men were collaborating on an obituary notice.

"What shall we say of the former Senator and one of the men

"Oh, but don't do that he was always faithful to his trust."

"And," queried a cynical member of the group, "shall we mention the name of the trust?"

The customer picked up a knife from the counter and handed it to the butcher, with a friendly smile.

"I don't really want it," he said, "but if you will cut it off I will take it along with the rest."

"Cut what off?" demanded the butcher in blank surprise.

"Your hand," was the gentle reply.

"You weighed it with the sausages, and I like to get what I pay for."

Barrister's Wife—"So your client was acquitted of murder. On what grounds?"

Barrister—"Insanity. We proved that his father once spent two years in an asylum."

Barrister's Wife—"But he didn't do it!"

Barrister—"Yes; he was a doctor there, but we had no time to bring that fact out."

EXCELLENT PRACTICE.

"Little Stanley's writings show a remarkable command," said Mr. Wilbury, smiling in pleasure as he surveyed his son's lesson book. "His writing is quite his weakest point. I suppose it is the reward I promised him which is making him practice?"

"No," said Mrs. Wilbury laconically.

"But I'm sure he's been practicing—and pretty hard, too."

"Yes; but it wasn't because of your rewards. He practices for two hours every day; now that it was I who taught him the scheme for making him do so."

"Indeed! What was the scheme?"

"I told him to make out a list of everything he wanted for Christmas."

When the car left the terminus a very stout lady, clad in muslin, was hanging to a strap for dear life.

A very small soldier, who was wedged in the seat, struggled to his feet, and in quite an old-world manner offered his seat to the ample lady.

Smilingly she thanked him, and then, looking rather bewildered, said: "Thanks so much! But where did you get up from?"

Telescope Proprietor—"Step up, ladies and gentlemen, and view the planet Mars. Only two pieces, ma'am."

"Old Lady—"Gracious! Isn't it round and smooth?"

Proprietor—"Will the bald-headed gentleman please step away from the front of the instrument?"

Brandon, Man., Nov. 17.—Dr. Whidden, president of Brandon College, last night was nominated as the Unionist candidate for this constituency.

Mr. McLeighen.

Portage la Prairie, Nov. 17.—Hon.

Arthur McLeighen, Minister of Interior

in the new Union Government, last

night was accorded the unanimous

nomination of the supporters of the

Union Government in the constituency

of Portage la Prairie for the coming

election.

Bathurst, N.B., Nov. 17.—The Union

Government party here yesterday

named J. Edward Degrawe for the

Commons to oppose O. Turgeon,

Laurier Liberal.

It is not what we say to a man but

that part which he believes that sells

him.—J. E. Rogers.

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Neepawa, Man., Nov. 16.—F. L.

Davis, Neepawa, was chosen as the

whole of Canada in the last loan.

Univ. real Service. Buy Victory

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—Waists in materials and styles that make them sufficiently dainty for wear on almost every occasion. Beautiful embroidered and beaded effects, on delicate shades of Georgette crepe, selling at \$6.75
—Simple but dainty styles in shades of rose, champagne, and ivory, featuring tucked fronts and large graceful collar developed from a nice quality Georgette crepe. Each \$4.75
Waists of Silk Crepe de Chine, in a variety of new styles; beautiful quality and the shades are rose, flesh, maize and ivory. Splendid value at \$3.50
—Waists, First Floor

Serviceable Waists of Novelty Repp at \$1.25

—A most serviceable quality waist for general wear. Attractive style, featuring convertible collar and turnback cuffs; made from a nice quality repp, in neat striped designs, and trimmed with white pique and two-tone buttons; all sizes 34 to 44. Splendid value at \$1.25
—Selling First Floor

White Lace Curtains Monday, a Pair

95c

This offer is for Monday's selling only, and 50 pairs is the limit. A good heavy grade net and worth \$1.50 a pair regularly. Good designs to choose from. Sizes 23/4 yds. long and 48 inches wide and 21/2 yds. long and 40 inches wide. If you need new curtains be sure and see this offering. A pair, 95c

150 YARDS FIGURED SATENS 19c A YARD

—In green and red shades and particularly suited for covering eiderdowns. —Drapery, Third Floor

New Silk Nets for Wear Over Dresses

It will be the fashion to wear a Net Overdress, and we have just opened up one of the finest assortments of new nets we have shown for many months. There's a big range of shades to choose from, including purple, helio, mignonette, eau de nil, emerald, paddy, navy blue, peacock, sky, royal, Copenhagen, old rose, rose pink, flesh, cherry, coral, burnt orange, canary, maize, apricot, citron, fawn, light brown, dark brown, pale grey, taupe, ivory and black.

40 inches wide, at a yard \$1.25
Tulle, in all the new shades, a yard 35c
—Selling Main Floor

Harvey Knit Underwear for Women

Harvey Knit Vests—A good quality of cotton, with nice fleecy finish. High neck and long sleeves; V or Dutch neck and elbow sleeves. Drawers to match, in closed style, ankle length. A garment \$1.00

Harvey Knit Combinations—Good quality, with light fleece finish; high neck, long sleeves, Dutch neck and elbow sleeves; large sizes. A suit \$1.75

Harvey Knit Knickers, in a good quality light weight fleece lined; elastic at waist and knee. A garment \$1.00
—Selling First Floor

Toyland News for Monday

Shoe Fly Rockers
Big Special Monday at \$1.18
Doll Buggies, with iron and rubber tyres; a big assortment to choose from. Each, \$3.25, \$3.75, \$4.25, \$4.95
English Style Doll Buggies, \$5.50 and \$6.25
Folding Doll Buggies, \$1.25 and \$1.98
Row Wagons, each, \$6.95 and \$8.50
Express Wagons, each, \$1.75 and \$2.50
Artillery Carts, iron wheels, \$3.25, \$3.75 and \$4.25
Rubber wheels, \$4.75, \$5.25 and \$5.95
Army Service, \$2.90, \$3.50 and \$3.90
—Toyland, First Floor, Douglas St.

A Range of Very Dainty Evening Gowns

Suitable for Wear to the Ball Next Friday



Many ladies in Victoria will be attending the great Ball to be held at the Empress Hotel next Friday, when it is expected that His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada will be present.

Naturally, for such a distinguished occasion, the thought of wearing a suitable dress arises in the mind of those anticipating being present.

This Range of Pretty New Models Will Be of Help to You

We believe there is one here that will please you well. The styles are new and dainty, and we would suggest that you come in and see them.

Each model is different and developed from rich quality crepes, nets, chiffons and soft silks, in shades of pink, blues, mauve and white. Smartly trimmed with gold and silver braids and bead effects.

Dresses that are pleasing and appropriate, and most reasonably priced at \$20.00, \$25.00, \$27.50, \$35.00, \$37.50, \$47.50.

—Mantles, First Floor

Beautiful Quality Silks in an Almost Endless Variety Suitable for Ball or Evening Gowns

Possibly you have made up your mind to have a new Ball or Evening Gown made up in time for wear to the big Ball next Friday.

You are just hesitating as to which material to choose. Let our big Silk Department assist you. We have a wonderful assortment of new, dainty shades, in the most appropriate silks for dresses or gowns of this nature. For instance:

36-Inch Chiffon Taffetas, in 30 shades, at a yard, \$1.50
36-Inch Messalines and Duchess Satins, 18 shades, at a yard \$1.50
36-Inch Chiffon Taffetas, in 12 shades, at a yard, \$2.00
40-Inch Georgette Crepes, 35 shades, at a yard, \$1.50
40-Inch French Crepe de Chine, 37 shades, at a yard, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00



40-Inch Silk Ninons, in 22 shades, at a yard \$1.00
36-Inch All-Silk Crepes, 14 shades, at a yard \$1.25
36-Inch Fine Grade Habutai, 17 shades, at a yard, \$1.00
36-Inch Silk Poplins, 27 shades, at a yard \$1.50
40-Inch Crepe Royal, 9 shades, at a yard \$1.50
See Special Window Displays on View Street

—Silks, Main Floor

Vacuum Bottles \$1.10 Monday at . . .

This will probably be your last chance to buy a Vacuum Bottle at this low price. They cannot be purchased wholesale only at a considerably advanced price. Better seize this opportunity, then, and make sure of one by shopping early on Monday. Each bottle in this offering has been tested before placing on sale. While the stock lasts Monday at \$1.10
—Drugs, Main Floor

Children's Hats Special Monday at . . . 50c

Quite a nice assortment of Children's Hats in this offering, and they are specially good values for so low a price. Included are colored felts, corduroy velvets and plain cloth; also black and white checks, soft and stiff shapes, all suitable for Winter wear. Practically every shade. Special Sale Monday at 50c
—Millinery, Second Floor

Shipment of Silk Crepe de Chine Undergarments to Sell at Very Special Prices



A shipment of beautiful quality garments, which we were fortunate in securing at prices which enables us to make this special offering possible.

The garments are very dainty, and well made and finished. Good quality materials, dainty styles and trimmings. Included are:

Envelope Combinations, of Jap silk, in white and pale pink; trimmed with wide filet lace. Special at \$3.75
Envelope Combinations, in white Jap silk; handsomely trimmed with lace and fine tucks. Special at \$3.50
Envelope Combinations, of heavy Jap silk, Empire style; hand-embroidered fronts; trimmed with dainty insertion and lace. Special at \$4.50
Blooms, of heavy Jap silk, in white, pink and black; elastic at knee and waist. A pair, special \$3.50
Nightgowns, of crepe de chine; made in Empire style; trimmed with wide Val lace and satin ribbons. Special, each \$7.50
Dressing Sacques, of white crepe de chine, trimmed with Val lace and satin ribbons. Special at \$3.50
Dressing Sacques, of crepe de chine, Empire style; trimmed with Val lace and chiffon flowers, in pale blue, mauve, pale pink and white. Special at \$4.50
—Whitewear, First Floor

Ladies' Gloves for Evening Wear

White Glace Kid Gloves, 12 B. L., a pair \$1.50
White Glace Kid Gloves, 16 B. L., a pair \$2.50
White and Cream Silk Gloves, 16 B. L., a pair \$3.25
Trefousse Dorothy White Glace Kid Gloves, a pair \$3.50
—Gloves, Main Floor

A Christmas Shipment of New Ties and Neckwear for Men Just Opened Up

We have just opened up ready for your inspection and choice a big Christmas shipment of new Ties and Neckwear.

The assortment is a very wide one and there are splendid values and patterns to choose from. Included are:

Four-in-Hand Shapes, in plain shades, stripes and fancy effects. Also wide-end Ties in brocades and plain colors. Each, 50c, 75c and \$1.00

We Are Also Showing a New Wide-End Tie, cut on the straight, with closed end. A Tie that cannot stretch or get out of shape. It is also reversible. All the newest patterns and colorings. Each \$1.00

Made-Up Knots to hook on stud. Saves the trouble of putting Tie around collar. Each, 25c and 50c
Knitted and Silk-Finished Ties, wide ends; also four-in-hand style. Each 35c
Ties, put up in single boxes, fancy or plain. Priced up from 35c to \$1.00
—Selling, Main Floor

A Washable Rag Rug Worth \$14.90, on Sale Monday at \$8.90

A hardwearing Rug, and one you can wash like a blanket. The colors are absolutely fast, and include shades of blue, tan, rose and green. Artistic in appearance and suitable for various style rooms. Size 6 ft. 9 in. x 9 ft. Very special at \$8.90

300 Grass Mats, worth 30c, to go at 22c
—Carpets, Third Floor

A Wonderful Assortment of Bible Story Books for Children

One of the best assortments of Bible Story Books we have ever shown. It's an assortment that thousands of parents will appreciate, as well as Sunday School teachers and superintendents.

There are Bible stories told in simple language for the Tiny Tots; also Books for the older children.

A specially good range is—

Wilson's Bible Stories at 20c each. Nice clear print and colored illustrations. The titles are—
"Heroines of Bible Stories."
"Stories of the Prophets."
"Fathers of Man-kind."
"The Great Apostle."
"Rulers of the Bible."
"The Boyhood of Jesus."
"The Disciples of Jesus."
"The Saviour of the World."
"Paul's Last Journeys."
"A Book of Miracles."
"Moses and the Promised Land."

New Testament Stories, with colored illustrations. Each \$1.75
Children of the Bible, illustrated. Price 75c
Bible Steps for Children, simply told by Emerson. A volume \$1.00
The Peep of Day, by Thomas Nelson & Sons 35c
Bible Stories and A. B. C.'s, for little tots to learn with ease; printed on linen and indestructible; beautifully colored pictures. Each 35c
—Bookland-in Toyland
First Floor, Douglas St.

Cashmerette Bloomers for Gymnasium Wear

We have just received a special shipment of Girls' Cashmerette Bloomers, specially made and finished for gymnasium wear. They are finished with plenty of fulness. In shades of navy and black. Priced according to size—

8 to 10, a pair \$1.75
12 to 14, a pair \$2.00
16 to 18, a pair \$2.25
—Children's, First Floor

All-Wool Scotch Plaid Travelling Rugs

Beautiful grades of wool, woven in tartan plaids and finished with fringed ends; full size Rugs. Splendid values at \$8.50, \$9.75, \$10.75, \$12.50 and \$15.00
—Selling, Main Floor

MEN'S WARM WOOLEN GLOVES, 75c A PAIR

English made, in light and dark grey; all sizes.
—Selling Main Floor

500 Yards White and Cream Curtain Nets, Monday, Yd 29c

This is a good, heavy quality Net, and one that will launder well; worth regularly 35c and 45c. You buy Monday at a very special price.

16 PIECES OF COLORED BORDERED SCRIMS TO CLEAR AT 10c A YARD
—In a nice range of shades—blues, gold, rose, mauve, red, green and yellow; worth 30c. Shop early for these.
—Drapery, Third Floor

ARE YOU Satisfied?

40,000 Canadians bought bonds of Canada's last War Loan. It seems a lot, doesn't it—but look!

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MANX-MAN TO BE AT DOMINION MONDAY

All the pictures for "The Manx-Man," the film drama which will be given at the Dominion Theatre beginning Monday, were taken on the Isle of Man itself, and there were gained the authentic local color and the many scenes of a most eerie beauty that pervade the picture. George Loane Tucker had great crowds to handle in several instances, and he shows that he possesses the sense of masses in connection with this part of moving picture work, as well as the ability to bring out the individuality of a multitude, which is so rare an accomplishment in the screen world, often though it is attempted.

Along with this choice of actors, not only for the main characters, but also for the more subservient ones, is unfailingly incisive. To Fred Groves is entrusted the leading part of the Manx-Man himself, and he imbues the role with wonderfully deft touches of pathos and comedy. It is one of the most sincere and human characterizations ever seen on the screen, or, for that matter, on the speaking stage either. The superb acting of the man would make words superfluous if he could use them in the present instance.

As Kate—changeable, heart-breaking Kate—Elizabeth Risdon is also ideal. She is such an accomplished actress that her art is entirely concealed in naturalness: wonderful versatility takes the place of affectation, and she weaves a veritable spell about the audience as she did about the men who loved her.

George Loane Tucker has triumphed with the most perfect adaptation of a novel ever filmed, and Henry J. Brock, its producer, stands at his right hand.

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ELIZABETH RISDON
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in "THE MANX-MAN"

At Dominion Theatre next week.

Social & Personal

Major R. J. Maxwell, of Victoria, has been among the visitors to Vancouver during the past week.

Lionel F. Ward, of Vancouver, arrived in the city to-day, and will return to the mainland on Sunday evening.

Captain Julia Henshaw, who has been touring the Eastern cities for the past two months, returned to Vancouver on Thursday evening.

Mrs. J. H. Penketh, 927 Fisgard Street, left on Thursday afternoon for Oakland, California, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Walthour, for about three weeks.

Mrs. A. E. de Pencier arrived in the city yesterday morning to attend the quarterly meeting of the Diocesan Board and left again on last night's boat for her home in Vancouver.

Dr. Glen Campbell, the well-known eye specialist of Vancouver, who has been undergoing treatment for a severe attack of blood poisoning is now reported well on the way to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mann, "Mountview," Penhold, Alberta, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Flora Jane, to J. Spears McPhee, Ceylon, Sask. The marriage to take place early in December.

Mrs. William Hogg, of Vancouver, entertained at a tea on Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. W. H. Hargrave, who with Mrs. Hargrave arrived in Victoria to-day to take up her residence here.

The marriage will shortly take place of Georgina, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Smithers, of Montreal, and Major Arthur Stanley Mills, D. S. O., son of Mrs. Mills, and the late Lord Bishop of Ontario. Major Mills is a nephew of Mrs. Herbert Drummond, and cousin of Mrs. Julius Griffith, of Vancouver.

E. O. S. Scholefield, the provincial librarian, is giving an address at the Methodist Church, Kamloops, this evening on the subject of "Shakespeare." The study of Shakespeare has been a hobby with Mr. Scholefield for many years and he has accumulated a wealth of interesting and instructive data on Shakespeare, his works and their influence on the progress of the times.

Miss Eleanor Weed, of Washington, a Vassar College girl, spent the summer with eleven of her schoolmates cultivating the college farm of 800 acres as an experiment in what girls can do to help increase farm products in the United States. The girls ploughed and harvested. They canned 16,000 quarts of tomatoes, 750 quarts of asparagus, 1,000 quarts of strawberries and hundreds of jars of peas, beans, corn and fruit.

A most enjoyable bridge and five hundred party was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dunn, 160 Beechwood Avenue, Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, L.O.D.E., the result being a substantial sum to augment the chapter's funds. The prizes for bridge were won by Mrs. George Powell and J. Virtue and for five hundred by Mrs. Herbert Leiser and H. Macklin, the winners most generously giving their prizes to be auctioned, thus netting a further sum for the chapter. After a delicious supper, dancing was indulged in. Miss Train provided the music. The reception committee was composed of Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. J. L. Beckwith and Mrs. Hasell.

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French War Pictures
SHOWING NEXT WEEK

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You would not.

You would want to see first hand some of the realities of war—you would gaze on the waste and destruction that was left in the wake of the retreating Hun with a feeling of bitterness of their ruthlessness, and an understanding, at least a partial realization, of the enormity of the forces contesting on the modern battlefield.

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AT THE HOTELS

P. R. Kelly, of Vancouver, is at the Dominion.

H. J. Ryan, of Toronto, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

C. J. Archibald, of Nelson, arrived at the Empress Hotel yesterday.

Ed. Nagle, of Penticton, registered at the Dominion Hotel yesterday.

Mrs. Bowden, of Edmonton, is a guest at the Strathcona Hotel.

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At the Royal Victoria to-night for the last time.

"This prisoner refuses to give his occupation, sir," remarked a police officer to the magistrate.

"You don't know what you are?" asked the magistrate of the individual in the dock.

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OAK BAY RED CROSS

IN ANNUAL MEETING

Committee Appointed and Reports Read; Addresses by Officials From City

The annual meeting of the Oak Bay Red Cross Society was held last night in the Council Chamber, Oak Bay Avenue, the president, P. F. Curtis, in the chair. Reports for the year were read by A. R. Hennell, acting secretary-treasurer, and during the evening resolutions were passed regretting the retirement of E. W. Clayton, who had given such excellent service as secretary-treasurer since the inauguration of the branch.

The following general committee to administer the affairs of the society during the coming year was appointed: F. P. Curtis, president; A. R. Hennell, secretary; W. A. Pauline, M. P. P.; J. Shallock, Phillip Goepel, H. F. Pullen, Mesdames Floyd, Bullock-Webster, Duncan, Gunter, Niven and Watson.

Mrs. Bullock-Webster intimated that she intended to resign from the position of convener of the Work Committee. It was decided not to accept the resignation but to leave the matter to the general committee to arrange. In the meantime Mrs. Bullock-Webster will continue to act. A hearty vote of thanks was given her for her services, in which she has been most faithful since the opening of the rooms.

The gathering was addressed by Miss Fitzgibbon, of the Superfluities Shop, who appealed for more articles in order to keep the shop going and thus continue the supply of money which had been coming from that source for the Red Cross work.

Fred W. Jones told of the needs of the Red Cross Society and emphasized the desirability of keeping the work going at a time when the men were doing so much in the trenches in Flanders.

At the close a hearty vote of thanks to Miss Fitzgibbon and Mr. Jones was passed.

The following is the report of the Secretary for the year just closed:

Secretary's Report.

ROYAL VICTORIA
TO-DAY, 2, 3.45, 5.30, 7.15, 9.
Mary Pickford
in
"Rebecca of Sunny-
brook Farm"
Prices: Matinee—Balcony and Dress
Circle, 10c.; Lower Floor, 12c. Even-
ing—Balcony, 10c.; Dress Circle and
Lower Floor, 20c.

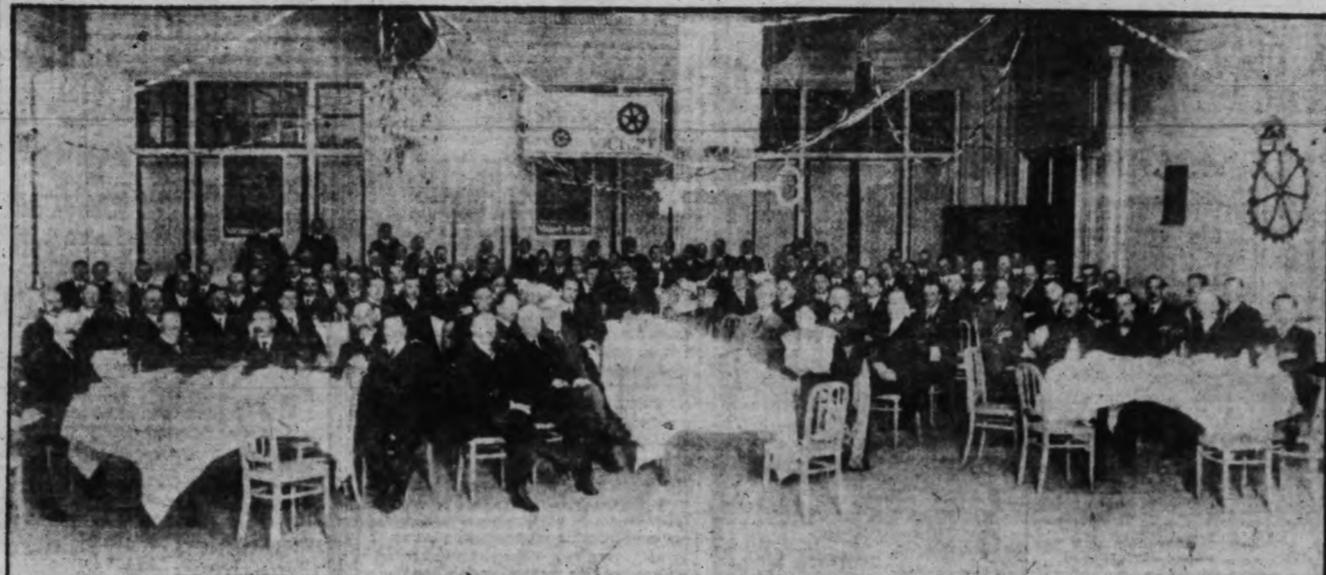
VARIETY ALL THIS WEEK
George M. Cohan
in
7 Keys to Baldpate
Matinee—Adults, 10c. and 15c.;
Children, 5c.; Boxes, 25c.
Evening—Adults, 10c. and 20c.;
Children, 10c.; Boxes, 30c.
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Delightful Dancing Numbers.
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Victoria Rotarians Assembled at Victory Loan Lunch



Thursday's luncheon of the Victoria Rotary Club was a banner occasion in the history of the local organization. Over 140 members and guests gathered at the Empress Hotel to hear the announcement of Alderman Peden that Rotarians had already subscribed \$75,000 to Canada's Victory Loan.

Reading from left to right the following Victorians are seen in the front

row of the above picture: Steve Jones, C. H. Deaville, Capt. Goodlack, W. P. Marchant, W. S. Terry, Capt. Harris, J. R. Clarke, President Abel, Premier Brewster, R. F. Taylor, J. A. Mara, A. C. Fraser, C. L. Armstrong, Hon. John Hart, Hon. Dr. McLean, Mrs. Macdonald Fahey, Mayor Todd, J. Debie Wells, Corporal Hale.

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RIGGS AND RYAN.
LARSON AND WILSON.
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TO-DAY
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"THE FRAME-UP"
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CHARLIE CHAPLIN'S
Greatest Rival in
"DOUGH NUTS"
(Billie West).

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Parcels for the Front.—The Young People's Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, under whose auspices Major Gordon (Ralph Conner) spoke when in Victoria a few weeks ago, is pleased to report that with the proceeds of the collection taken at that lecture, they have been able to send a good sized Christmas parcel to each of the men from their church who are at present at the front.

DOMINION
To-day
MAE MARSH
in
"Sunshine Alley"
COMING MONDAY
"THE MANXMAN," by Hall Caine
Produced in the Isle of Man.

GUARD OF HONOR FOR GOVERNOR-GENERAL

Will Be Made Up of Officers
and Men From 2nd Depot
Battn. and 88th Regiment

That the Guard of Honor to receive His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada, on his arrival in the city on Tuesday morning, November 20, will be furnished by a captain, two lieutenants and 100 rank and file is stated in Military Orders issued by Major-General R. G. Edwards Leckie, C.M.G., G.O.C.

The constitution of the guards is as follows: One Lieutenant, with 15 rank and file from the 2nd Depot Battalion, B. C. Regiment, the Willows, and 1 captain, 1 Lieutenant and 85 rank and file from the 88th Regiment, Victoria Fusiliers. The band will be furnished by the 5th Regiment, C. G. A. This Guard of Honor will be drawn up opposite the C. P. R. wharf, Belleville Street, ready to receive His Excellency at 8.30 a.m. on the 20th instant.

C.A.M.C. Appointments.

During the absence of Major W. S. Baird, on duty, the duties of officer commanding 13th Field Ambulance Unit, C.A.M.C., will be performed by Capt. J. H. McDermott, C.A.M.C.

Lieut. F. J. Gillespie, C.A.M.C., is temporarily mobilized for duty as member of a medical board at Vancouver, with effect from the 12th inst., and is attached to the 13th Field Ambulance Unit for all purposes, whilst mobilized for duty in Vancouver.

Infantry.

6th Regiment (The Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles)—Lieut. (supernumerary) C. L. Armstrong is transferred to the 59th Regiment, September 1, 1917.

11th Regiment (Irish Fusiliers of Canada)—Provisional Lieut. (supernumerary) W. E. Richardson is permitted to retire, June 26, 1917.

56th Regiment—Lieut. (supernumerary) H. S. Edgar is seconded for service with the Imperial Air Board, May 1, 1917.

To be Lieutenant (supernumerary)—C. L. Armstrong from the 6th Regiment (The Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles), September 1, 1917.

C.A.M.C.

To be provisional Lieutenant (supernumerary)—Malcolm Frank Douglass Graham, gentleman, August 22, 1917.

Canadian Army Dental Corps.
To be captain—McVille Crawford Bagnall, Esq., October 15, 1916.

Attached.

Lieut. J. T. Underhill, G. G. A., C. E. F., is attached to No. 11 Special Service Company, for all purposes with effect from September 23, 1917.

Lieut. J. E. D'Arcy Rowe, 64th Battn., is attached to "J" Unit, M.H.C.C., for treatment.

Lieut. E. H. Marsh, 16th Battn., is attached to "I" Unit, M.H.C.C., for treatment, September 18, 1917.

Transfers.

The following transfers are authorized:

Pte. E. McKenzie Marshall from 1st Depot Battn., B. C. Regiment, to "I" Unit, M.H.C.C.

Pte. Edward J. Tremblay from the A. S. C. reinforcements, C. E. F., to the R. C. G. A. reinforcements, C. E. F.

Pte. J. Wilkinson from "J" Unit, M. H. C. C., to the 1st Depot Battn., B. C. Regiment.

Retention of Clothing.

It is notified for the information of all concerned that members of Active Militia on being demobilized or discharged may retain the following items of clothing: Boots, ankle, 1 pair; drawers, winter, 1 pair; shirt, flannel, 1; shirts, winter, 1; socks, 1 pair. All other items of clothing and equipment to be returned to quartermaster's stores of the unit.

WOUNDED IN NECK

Former Employee of E. G. Prior & Co. Ltd., Among Recent Casualties.

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Wednesday, 21st inst.: Forenoon Session—Mining and Industrial Companies.

Afternoon Session—Labour: Lumber and Coal.

Thursday, 22nd inst.: Forenoon Session—Board of Trade, Vancouver; Legal and Legislative Committees.

Afternoon Session—Union of Municipalities and Municipal Delegates.

Friday, 23rd inst.: Forenoon Session—United Farmers' Association of B. C. and Farming.

Afternoon Session—Miscellaneous.

All requests for hearings must be in writing addressed to the undersigned. These meetings will be open to the public.

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larged, and that the contents, in the main, are original.

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The above picture shows the cyclamen in bloom at the city nursery, Beacon Hill Park. The flowers were raised, says the head gardener, from Victoria-grown seed of best British strain and represent months of careful cultivation. The colors are white, pink and red, with a predominance of the white varieties. They make a splendid showing in the greenhouse.

ANOTHER CONVENTION FOR CARIBOO TO-DAY

F. J. Fulton, K. C., Sure of Nomination; Atmosphere Now Clearing

Reference has already been made in these columns to the turmoil in many parts of the Federal riding of Cariboo caused by the choice—not unanimous—of the convention held in the city of Kamloops on Wednesday, November 7, when J. T. Robinson was successful in landing the nomination as the Unionist candidate.

The overwhelming sentiment of many communities within the riding was totally opposed to the nomination of Mr. Robinson, and this was aggravated by what had every appearance of a broken pledge, when he failed to withdraw, with T. G. McBride, in favor of F. J. Fulton, K. C., who had consented to stand providing there was a unanimous desire for him so to do. In other words Mr. Fulton was the "one logical man for the honor since he is acceptable to the electorate irrespective of former party political affiliations.

Robinson Withdraws.

In a long letter of explanation to The Kamloops Telegram (Liberal) and warm supporter of the Unionist movement, Mr. Robinson gracefully retires from the field. He says in part as follows: "In the interests of harmony and effective action I have cast aside all personal feelings. I have ignored my very natural inclination to fight to the bitter end with those who have waged what can by no stretch of the imagination be considered a fair fight, to eliminate me from the contest and I have set at naught the express desires of a majority of the electors of Cariboo as voiced by two representative conventions, in the confident hope that those who have loyally supported me will as loyally support whoever may become the Unionist candidate."

To the citizens of Kamloops and representatives from other sections of the constituency Mr. Fulton gave a complete explanation on Thursday last of the circumstances which had terminated in his decision, prior to the convention referred to, to stand in the event of a deadlock. His one understanding and condition was that his candidature had to be the unanimous wish of the meeting.

Fulton Will Stand.

He has now agreed, in view of the retirement of Mr. Robinson, to allow his name to come before the new convention which takes place in the Opera House at Kamloops this afternoon. In announcing that decision Mr. Fulton said he had retired from public life some years ago, promising himself to stay out, but that during the last two or three months he had been asked a number of times to come out as a candidate for Cariboo, but had always said "No." Last week, however, a delegation from two committees of twelve had come to his office, asking him to consider the candidacy and informing him that when at the meeting of the two committees his name had been proposed every one of the twenty-four had risen in response to the question. He had told the delegates that it was well-known that he had no desire to get into politics, but could not treat their request lightly. He could not answer offhand as he wished first to consult with Mr. Martin Burrell.

It was clearly understood, Mr. Fulton maintained, that he was not seeking the nomination, but that if a deadlock occurred he would accept it. "I have decided upon my course," he continued. He said he would allow his name to go before to-day's convention and if nominated would run as a Unionist candidate in the district, with the proviso "if endorsed as the Government candidate."

60TH ANNIVERSARY OF RELIEF OF LUCKNOW

George Millett, of British Campaigners' Association Participated in Defence

Sixty years ago to-day, on November 17, 1857, Lucknow, that dark spot in the Indian Mutiny, was relieved by General Sir Colin Campbell after the beleaguered inhabitants had undergone all the horrors of a siege, for 162 days. Famine and pestilence and all the agony that the mind can conceive, intensified by the tropical heat was endured by that brave band of men and women immured in the walls of the city.

Their hopes were raised when it was discovered that General Havelock and his army were approaching, only to be dashed again when the rescuers themselves were entrapped. Then when hope was almost dead, a Scotch girl Jessie Brown, in the delirium of fever heard the sound of the bag pipes, and Sir Colin Campbell and his gallant Highlanders relieved the garrison, sadly reduced in numbers, the survivors being gaunt and famished as the result of their terrible sufferings.

Millett Was Present.

In spite of the sixty years that have elapsed, the dark experiences of those days are still vivid in the memory of George Millett, a member of the Victoria branch of the British Campaigners' Association.

Then a lad of sixteen, and a private in the First Battalion, 5th Northumberland Fusiliers, Millett played his part in the defence of the city, together with his father, a sergeant in the same regiment, and his mother, an army

neck and again in the calf of the leg, but his youth helped him to recover quickly, and he remained in India for twelve months until peace was restored. Returning to Colchester Camp his service—sixteen years in all.

Mr. Millett has been in Victoria thirty years, and of this time, was for twelve years in the service of Bishop Perrin as gardener. He is now employed at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, and despite his seventy-six years is hale and hearty, following the course of present day events with as keen an interest as many of the younger warriors who have tasted twentieth-century warfare.

THE VALUE OF TIME.

Time is the greatest factor in successful work. The man who solves the problem of how to make the most of time has found the way to make the most of himself.

Without doubt there is nothing so costly that it is so valuable in time. It is in too much sleep, in too much leisure, and in downright laziness. It is squandered in useless pleasures, and in excess of recreation. It slips away in ease and comfort almost without our knowing it. In truth the precious moments fly. How, then, shall we save them? There is only one way—concentrate.—W. H. Cottingham.

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dog, and to express himself in other ways. On one occasion it is said that he split a bottle of turpentine over himself, and, as a result, lay kicking on his back for hours, but those were pre-Prohibition days. On another occasion he interfered with the contents of a paint pot and carried the stains with him on his coat for weeks. The upsetting of an inkwell was also one of his sins, but this left no stain on his plumage, although the marks remain to this day on some of the furnishings of the house.

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Age of Crows.

What is the average age of a crow? Nobody seems to know. Although Bob is seventeen years of age he is apparently in his prime. He flies well, his plumage is glossy, and he is alert as one of his wild fellows. On the approach of his mistress he shows every sign of pleasure, stretches his neck out of the cage and rubs his head against her hand, barks like a dog, ruffles his feathers and calls "Mamma" or "Hello" in a voice expressive of affection.

That he has given pleasure to others besides the people with whom he lives is shown in the fact that soldiers writing from the trenches in France inquire for him; that former students of the Guelph Central School, now "Out West" are solicitous for his welfare, and that Victorians take Sunday walks to Mount Tolmie in order to make his acquaintance.

Four years ago Bob moved to British Columbia. The master was dead, but Miss Terrell had taken charge of him and she refused to move unless Bob went too. He was smuggled into the train and kept out of sight, but his voice could not be controlled and on more than one occasion he started the passengers by calling in a strident voice, "Mamma, Mamma."

To-day Bob lives with his mistress at Mount Tolmie in the suburbs of Victoria. He enjoys life among the fruit and poultry, often visiting the neighbors who make much of him. A good deal of the time he is kept in a large cage because he has a habit of straying and while away there is danger that he may be shot. Like all pet crows he is an inveterate thief. He is fond of any bright object and sometimes is successful in recovering lost articles. On one occasion Miss Terrell lost a gold ring. Search was made high and low but without success. A

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SUCH ideas often dominate the mind of the sufferer from nervous exhaustion or neurasthenia.

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GEORGE MILLET

Veteran of Lucknow.

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Born in Barracks.

Mr. Millett was born in the barracks at Castle Donington, Leicestershire (now an internment camp for German officer prisoners) in 1840, and in accordance with the old British military system, by which the Army had first claim on boys born "on the strength," he became at the age of twelve a drummer in his father's regiment, the Northumberland Fusiliers, and as such, he with his parents, was in India when the Mutiny broke out at Meerut on May 10, 1857.

Thrice wounded.

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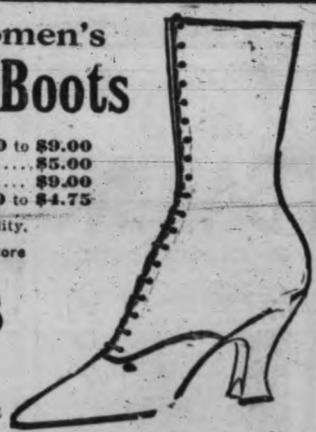
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day afternoon next at 3 o'clock, to elect
representatives to act on the general
Unionist Campaign Committee. All
who are able to do so are requested
to attend.

South Saanich Women's Institute.—
The South Saanich Women's Institute
held their regular meeting on Thurs-
day evening. Mrs. Gold presiding. The
second, in the series of card parties
will be held in the Temperance Hall,
Keating, this evening. The first was
very successful the Patriotic Fund
benefiting to the extent of \$20.

Dr. Oliver's Final Appearance.—Dr.
Oliver, who is making his final appear-
ance in Victoria to-morrow, will preach
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day, he slipped on a rock and the con-
cussion caused one of the barrels of his
gun to explode, with the result that
the boy received a charge of buck-
shot above the knee. Fortunately an
automobile was passing and hurried
him into St. Joseph's Hospital, where
it was found that he was suffering
from a severe flesh wound but that
no bones were broken. From its pos-
ition, so close to the knee, there is
danger of complications, should in-
flammation set in, but so far the lad
is getting on well, and his early re-
covery is looked for.

Son of Late Dr. Elliott S. Rowe.—
Lieut. D'Arcy Rowe, of the 54th Bat-
talion, who has returned from France
after being over a year at the front,
is to undergo treatment at the "J" Unit,
Esquimalt. He is a son of the late
Dr. Elliott S. Rowe, for some time past-
or of the Metropolitan Church, Vic-
toria.

Complaints of Accident.—L. L. Gup-
till, of 2808 Prior Street, states to the
police that while riding a bicycle on
Pt. Ellice bridge, he was struck by an
automobile whose number he se-
cured. He was slightly bruised and
shaken.

Series of Summons.—Eleven sum-
mons have been issued to men, chief-
ly workmen at the yards, for riding
bicycles on the sidewalk across the re-
serve on the old Esquimalt Road. The
condition of the roadway has not been
such as to encourage a person using
the roadway with a narrow tired ve-
hicle.

Son of Late Dr. Elliott S. Rowe.—
Lieut. D'Arcy Rowe, of the 54th Bat-
talion, who has returned from France
after being over a year at the front,
is to undergo treatment at the "J" Unit,
Esquimalt. He is a son of the late
Dr. Elliott S. Rowe, for some time past-
or of the Metropolitan Church, Vic-
toria.

Closing of Wilkinson Read Jail.—As
the prisoners gradually complete their
time in the Wilkinson Read jail, the
staff is being reduced, and on Tues-

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High School Activities

Patriotic Entertainment Planned; Hockey Team Defeated; Candy Stall at Drill Display Netted Large Amount.

The interest of the High School is at present focused on the patriotic entertainment to be held in the auditorium on the evening of Saturday, November 24, in aid of the Red Cross Society. The details of the affair have been announced and their extent, diversity and excellence, should make it one of unsurpassed popularity. The programme was drawn up with the end in view of departing from the usual form of concert, and in this respect the committee has been remarkably successful.

It would be impossible to publish in this space an actual list of events, but the following facts may serve as a very general description. Costume dancing will be a leading feature, as will also a ventriloquial number. Several amusing recitations of more than average merit are arranged for, and a famous wizard has promised to perform magic. The singing of Mrs. Macdonald Fahey will prove the greatest attraction for music-lovers; those in charge are particularly fortunate in securing the participation of this eminent soprano. A selection from the "School for Scandal" will be presented. Two students are busy preparing a sketch from Dickens. The scene selected is the celebrated quarrel between Sailey Gamp and Betsy Prig, caused by the latter questioning the existence of a certain Mrs. Harris who is, in fact, a phantom of Mrs. Gamp's imagination. A playlet, the object of which is to demonstrate the fallacy of Prussian efficiency, and in which the Kaiser takes a leading part, will form a fitting conclusion to the performance. Tickets are now being sold and may be obtained at the High School or from students.

Tie in Ground Hockey.

Athletic enthusiasts are yet recovering from a severe shock sustained when the ground hockey team failed to vanquish the representatives of the Oak Bay High School. Undaunted by their two defeats in basketball, the latter were able to hold their own against their Victorian rivals. Both sexes were represented and both proved equally efficient stick-handlers.

The Victoria eleven got first blood when Miss Stevenson scored. Soon, however, Hope of Oak Bay, equalized accounts, and Brinjofson, of the same team, brought the tally up to 2-1. Towards the end of the contest the V. H. S. team was constantly on the offensive and kept the ball in the enemy's territory. Although their superiority in combination was at all times manifest, the shooting displayed was deplorable, and the only result of their

labor was one goal scored by Ross, which averted actual defeat.

At the termination of the struggle the visitors were given an opportunity of recuperating over an appetizing banquet served in the lunch room. The happiness of the exhausted athletes was complete, nor did speech-making mar the serenity of the joyous assemblage.

Portia Club.

The subject chosen for debate at the usual weekly meeting of the Portia on Wednesday was: "Resolved that small high schools and colleges are better than larger ones," a question in which every High School student would naturally be interested, and which was appreciated accordingly by the audience.

The debaters were exceptionally good. Miss Christine Ross and Miss Florence Challenor upholding the affirmative against Miss Hermia Harris and Miss Jean Graham for the negative.

The judges, Miss Macleod and Mr. Clarke, of the faculty, awarded the honors to the affirmative by a slight margin of marks.

The secretary gave a short sketch of the patriotic work of the Society, in which she thanked the members for their co-operation in the recent candy drive, and informed them that the proceeds from the candy stall at the drill display were about \$6.

Beta Delta.

The Beta Delta Society this week returned to its usual debating, the subject being: "Resolved that the Patriotic Fund should be abolished and that its functions should be carried on by the Government." On the affirmative the speakers were Mayne and Secretary Nash, who were opposed by Howlett and President Hall. Mayne and Howlett speaking for the first time made a very creditable showing. The judges, Miss Roberts and Miss Cann, gave decision in favor of the affirmative, and expressed the opinion that the debate had been an excellent one.

**WASHINGTON IS NOW
A CITY OF EXPERTS**

Well-Known Lumberman Here Gives Impressions of America's National Capital

"To appreciate the organization of the United States for war, and to observe how the country has changed in the last eight months you must go to Washington, D. C." said W. E. Marsh, of New York, vice-president of the Empire Lumber Co., who was in the city this week.

Mr. Marsh has made, in connection with the extensive lumber operations in which he is engaged in the East, and on the Pacific Coast, various trips to Washington and finds men whom he has known at the head of great enterprises in finance, railway work, and industry working cheerfully for the nation for long, laborious hours daily at a merely nominal salary.

"These men are giving their expert knowledge for national needs," continued Mr. Marsh, "Indeed Washington has become a city of experts, you meet them at every street corner, you run up against them in every office, working longer hours than they ever did in their own concerns, bringing a concentration of energy and ability to bear on the problems of the day which we should have thought impossible before the United States entered the war. President Wilson may have wished no doubt did wish—to enter the war earlier, but he must have appreciated that the people of the United States were not then behind him. Now it is the other way."

"Travelling as I do constantly up and down the country, meeting people in all walks of life, I have been astonished at the unanimity of feeling expressed now in every walk of life, there is no doubt that Uncle Sam is now in his shirt-sleeves, and there will be no slackening up till the end is achieved. Washington has re-awakened the houses, the business blocks, the stores have all filled up. It has been necessary to take official action to control rents, so great has been the demand for accommodation, and new office room has become necessary to house the influx of population required thereby for the organization of the nation for war."

While Dr. Ashe was speaking I watched the Irish soldiers who listened to him and saw how moved they were and how something changed in the look of their eyes when he spoke of the men whom Redmond loved and who loved him. Then the speaker turned to them, first to one side and then to the other, to the Royal Irish and the Inniskillings, and said how good it was to see his countrymen from the North and South united in this comradeship, by which they would win the war together and by which they would guide Ireland together, sinking big differences, putting self-interests on one side and, with firm confidence in the one God above them, striving to do all to bring peace, justice and happiness to their dear country. That was the message of Major William Redmond, whose body lay in the grave there, but whose faith still lived.

Mr. Marsh was disinclined to say much at this time in regard to the timber situation, pointing out to The Times representative, that while the demand for lumber for shipbuilding had been tremendous, it was necessary to cut considerable quantities of other grades which exceeded the demand at a time when building construction is generally dull and cannot absorb the production for constructional purposes.

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**TOUCHING CEREMONY
IN BELGIAN GARDEN**

Where Major William Redmond Lies Buried; a Very Gallant Irishman

The body of Major William Redmond, who gave his life for Ireland's sake and for a great ideal in the battle of Wytschaete on June 7 this year, lies in the grounds of a Belgian convent not far from the battlefields, and yesterday there came to his grave a deputation of his countrymen to lay wreaths of honor and love upon it, while on each side stood Irish soldiers, Catholics and Protestants, who had known him and fought with him, wrote Philip Gibbs in a recent issue of The London Daily Chronicle.

It was a little ceremony on the outskirts of war which touched all those present with more emotion than comes to soldiers over the grave of a gallant man who fell in action, though that is always deep. But the grave of this man, Major Willie Redmond as he was always called, was a spiritual reminder of the fine faith with which he was called to the heart of Ireland in days of great danger and conflict and tragedy, and these soldiers standing guard on each side of his grave, on one side men of the South and West and on the other men of Ulster, clothed in arms, in many battles, symbolized that faith in the union and brotherhood of the Irish people for which Redmond offered up his life.

Would Share the Risk.

I was glad to be there yesterday, in the Battle of Wytschaete, after the great bombardment and the touching off of the mines which were the signal of the attack, I went up among the Irish soldiers and heard how Major Redmond had fallen at the head of his men. The Irish losses were not heavy that day; and it was our best victory up to that time, and the Irish troops were flushed with success, but even then they were saddened by the thought that Willie Redmond was among those who had fallen.

"It was hard luck," said man after man. "He needn't have come over the top with us. They asked him to stay behind, but he would come with us and share the risk of it."

Yesterday the memory of that Irish gentleman and soldier lived in the garden of the Belgian Convent. A number of French officers, some officers of the United States army, the general of the Irish Brigade in which Major Redmond served, and officers on the staffs of the Irish and Ulster Divisions, were grouped round the grave and the guard of honor was formed by men of the Royal Irish Regiment, from Major Redmond's Battalion, and by the Inniskillings.

Among the soldiers was a little gathering of signs belonging to the convent. They have tended the grave in their garden graciously, not only for Ireland's sake, but because they knew as a good friend the officer whose dead body was brought to their place after the battle. He used at one time to visit the convent and on the walls of its refectory they have painted the Irish Harp and the Red Hand of Ulster side by side, because of the union of the Irish fighting men.

I saw spirit, and his simple faith and his fine Irish courtesy made Major Redmond well loved within these walls. So now, while across the Ypres salient the guns were firing with dull distant hammer strokes, there was a silence in the garden when the wreath of honor, and a bunch of heather plucked by Mrs. Redmond from her husband's garden in Wexford, and some roots of shamrock, which grew on Vinegarhill, were laid upon the grave by the Mayor of Wexford and the High Sheriff of Dublin and Dr. James Ashe. They had come from Ireland on this mission on behalf of a Memorial Committee, which includes men and women of all political parties and of the Catholic and Protestant faiths, who are united in their reverence of this gallant countryman.

Faith He Died For.

Speaking to the soldiers about him, Dr. Ashe, who is a Protestant working for the political union of Ireland, reminded them how Major Redmond had fallen while gloriously leading his men to victory. He was over 50 when he volunteered, and, though in the last battle he could have stayed behind he preferred to go over the top with the men he loved and the men who loved him. In the hour of his country's difficulty he believed that if Irishmen were to come together it was to be by fighting side by side against the common enemy and not with one another and for that faith he died.

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J. A. Teit, Well-Known Anthropologist, is Visitor to Victoria.

One of the best-known of the anthropologists of British Columbia is now in the city in the person of J. A. Teit, of Spence's Bridge. Publications giving the result of his investigation into the ethnology of the Athabaskan tribes in British Columbia and the Yukon have already been issued by the American Forel Society, and other memoirs based on his field investigation will come from the same society.

These folklore stories are much more interesting to the public than more strictly scientific works, as they give an easy, simple tale of the mythology and legendary history of the tribes dealt with. The people of this country have hitherto given little attention to the history of the aborigines who preceded their coming to this country, but the traditions and stories show an inter-tribal relationship which is beginning to take, so Mr. Teit says, a definite concrete form. "We are learning," he said to The Times, "that a common tradition prevails of white men coming to this country in past age, possibly from the south, such as exists among the aborigines right away down to Mexico. How the red and the legendary may live side by side is shown among the tribes of the Fraser River, who in addition to the authentic account of Simon Fraser's voyage have a mythical story in which the actors in that remarkable expedition have been transfigured. There is much in common between the Kaskas, of the Liard, tributaries, and the Tahltans, of the Stikine, of which the publications treat, but there is not much analogy with those of the interior tribes."

Mr. Teit is an authority on Indian basket work, and similar native arts, and his presence in the city was taken advantage of by people interested in the subject to discuss the subject with him. He aided in making the Indian collections for the Provincial Museum here.

A large dredging machine was at work at the Liverpool landing stage, clearing a space in the River Mersey to allow the great Atlantic liners to come alongside for the landing of cargo and passengers. A countryman, a rigger, was watching the numerous buckets and machinery with wide-open mouth. Several times his friends urged him to "Come," but he might have been alone for what little notice he took of them.

"Coom, Alf; we'll miss t', train."

"Na," said Alf: "A'm goin' to see the last bucket up."

THE SEA'S ALLOTMENT.

We are a maritime people, and the ocean is, as it were, our own back garden. Yet we do not get out of it all the food products we might. The importance of our fisheries is undoubtedly, and the growth of their productivity has been enormous in the last fifty years, but it is not yet realized that the food yield of an acre of the Channel or the North Sea—at least in times of peace—is equal to the yield of a hundred acres of our best grass land.

In fact, any comparison is useless, for the yield of the land is strictly limited, and is subject to many changing and changeable conditions, whereas the yield of the seas—the harvest of the waters—is practically limitless, and there would seem to be very little variation in its wonderful fecundity.

A cod produces some 8,000,000 eggs, and when the poultry farmer is giving himself sleepless nights to get one day per pullet, the wonder of it is the

greater. A lobster produces 10,000; whilst salmon take the river with a thousand eggs for every pound of their weight. No wonder the rivers of Western Canada are nearly sold with them!

Just before the war it was computed from good statistics that the North Sea fishermen handled during one year 9,500,000,000 fishes of all sorts and sizes, and the two ports of Lowestoft and Yarmouth alone have received 850,000,000 herrings in a single season. —Tit-Bits.

As Mr. Jones unlaced his boots he remarked casually to his wife: "Have you heard about the catastrophe which happened at the Smiths' house to-night?"

"No. What was it?" asked Mrs. Jones.

"A baby fell out of its bed," he replied: "Why, Mrs. Smith gave the baby a bottle to play with, and while she was out of the room it fell from the cradle and broke its neck."

"What! The poor little baby?" shrieked his wife.

"No; the bottle," replied Mr. Jones, with a fiendish chuckle.

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UNIVERSITY TEAM DEFEATS RUGGERS OF HIGH SCHOOL

18-5 is Score Registered at Match Played Yesterday at Mount Tolmie

The rugby match played yesterday afternoon between the High School and the University School on the grounds of the latter club resulted in a win for the University boys by a score of 18 points to 5. The wide interest taken in the game by students was manifested by the representative gathering of followers of each club. The side lines were peopled with a splendid turn-out and enthusiasm ran high. It is more than probable that the winter months will witness many such contests.

One fact was impressed very forcibly upon the spectator from the opening of the game. The High School boys were heavier, especially on the forward line and the natural thing to suppose was that they would avail themselves of this advantage. In this, however, they failed, for although every indication pointed to their superiority in the scrum they did not measure up to the expectations entertained concerning their abilities.

Better Combination.

The University forwards lacked much of the weight of their opponents but this fact in itself was insufficient to drown them. In the open play they worked with unabating zeal and their efforts were fully rewarded. It was in this class that they showed to the best advantage. The team is certainly to be complimented on its combination which was undoubtedly far superior to that of the Victoria High School.

The first try of the game was scored by Pelly I., who by some clever work managed to get past the defence and make the touch between the posts. The kick failed. On play again being resumed, the V. H. S. boys brought their weight into action and pressed up the field in a manner that looked rather bad for the University. This course of events, however, was soon changed and in another exhibition of their combination the Mount Tolmie lads were back on the offensive. Pelly I. again got possession of the ball and passed at the critical moment to Dunn. This player in turn made a feint pass by means of which he defeated his opponents and scored the second try of the match. The kick failed again. Heggie I. scored the third for the University before half time, the kick proving ineffective for the third time. The score was thus 9-0.

Back Tackled Well.

Due credit must be given to the High School backs. Their tackling was undoubtedly the means of saving the team from defeat by an overwhelming score. The University halves pushed the ball well up to their three-quarters and showed the team to be particularly strong in these divisions. The score of the second period was made by Dunn. The kick in accordance with what appeared to be the fashion of the day failed. This was followed by a score from Pelly I. and another failure to make a goal. What was the surprise of the fans when precedent was thrown carelessly to winds: the sacredness of tradition of the game unswervingly violated: Lennie I., the University captain dropped a beautiful kick from a mark by Helmcken.

It was only a few minutes to time when the V. H. S. displaying more team work than in the earlier portions of the game passed the defending forwards and scored their only try: The kick succeeded and the whistle blew for time. The standing being 18-5.

MILITARY CROSS WON BY GREAT HOCKEYIST

Fred Struthers, one of the best hockey players ever produced by the west, has been awarded the Military Cross. Struthers played for Saskatchewan against Regina for the Allan Cup in the spring of 1916, and according to Jimmy Rollo, one of the officials, Struthers was, in his opinion, the best defence player he ever saw, in action. He is a big, rangy boy, a fast skater and a clever stick-handier, and along with Kyle, the former Lindsay defence player, and Goalkeeper Foyler, made up one of the best defences ever seen in amateur hockey in the west. He usually was the outstanding star in every game, and from reports received has evidently carried his hockey career right into the trenches.

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BASKETBALL TEAMS MET ON THE OAK BAY HIGH SCHOOL FLOOR

FINE BASKETBALL PLAYED BY TEAMS ON Y.M.C.A. FLOOR

Medicals Were Defeated by Ex-
ceptionally Fine Quintette
of Players

Two basketball games that occasioned considerable interest were contested at the Oak Bay High School last evening. The Oak Bay boys met the Y. M. C. A. team, which they defeated by a score of 34-15. The Oak Bay girls, however, were defeated by a team from the Esquimalt High School 14-9.

The girls' game was a splendid exhibition. The match was even practically until the end but the Esquimalt team was strong enough to annex a fair margin over their opponents before the whistle sounded for time.

The best game they have put up this season was played by the High School boys. Both with regard to their combination and general ability in shooting they showed themselves much improved. One noticeable feature of the team was the fact that all the players appear to possess almost uniform ability. The Y. M. C. A. led by 11-9 at half time, but the O. B. H. S. came out winners finally with a tally of 34-15.

Mr. Duncan, who refereed both games, did so to the satisfaction of all concerned.

INFANTRY COULD NOT FIELD SOCCER TEAM FOR LEAGUE FIXTURE

At a late hour yesterday the 2nd Depot Battalion, Infantry announced that it would be unable to field a team for to-day's match in the Senior soccer league. The situation was unavoidable owing to the leaving of a large draft of men. The Battalion has no intention, however, of dropping out of the league, and will be in the running again next Saturday. A friendly game is being played this afternoon at Oak Bay between the E. M. C. H. which was to have met the Infantry and the V. I. A. A. The practice match at the Royal Athletic Park has been cancelled.

CAFE MANAGER SAYS SHAY WAS NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF LIQUOR

Indianapolis, Nov. 17. — Whether Danny Shay, former American Cafe manager, on trial here, charged with second degree murder for killing a negro waiter last May, was attacked before he shot the waiter was not cleared up by yesterday's witness.

Herbert Miller, manager of the cafe in which the shooting occurred, testified that at no time during the evening did he hear Shay talk in a loud voice or otherwise indicate that he was under the influence of liquor.

WELL-KNOWN ATHLETE WOUNDED IN FRANCE

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—Word was received in the capital yesterday that Bomber Harold Nutting, a well-known athlete, has been wounded in France. Nutting went overseas in 1915 as a lieutenant in the artillery, but reverted to the ranks in order to get to France, where he has been fighting for the last year or more.

Nutting was an all round athlete, but will be best remembered for his success as a long distance runner. He held the marathon championship of Ottawa for several years, and was an officer of the Ottawa Harrier Club. During his stay in Winnipeg three years ago he was prominent in Canadian rugby circles.

WINNIPEG ATHLETES ARE NOW IN LISTS

Winnipeg, Nov. 17.—Another noted Winnipeg athlete has made the supreme sacrifice in France. Sergeant Mathew Webb, who figured prominently in hockey and rugby before going overseas, has been reported killed in action. Still another star athlete is on the casualty list in the name of Sergeant Frank Morton, who was wounded on October 27. He figured in senior hockey and baseball circles.

COCHRANE WINS.

New York, Nov. 17.—Walker Cochran, of Manson, Ia., defeated Leonard Hewison, of Brockville, Ont., by a score of 2,000 to 1,628 in an 18.3 ball billiard match which was finished here last night.

Turn your dollars into bullets. Buy Victory Bonds.

PEORIA IS CHOSEN FOR NEXT MEETING OF THE OFFICIALS

Louisville, Nov. 17.—With the selection of Peoria, Ill., for the 1918 convention city, the National Association of Baseball Leagues closed its annual convention. The Peoria meeting will be held early next November.

John F. Farrell, secretary of the National Association; President M. H. Sexton and Harry Stahlhefer, of Evansville, Ind., president of the Central League, were appointed to meet with the national commission in the interest of minor league affairs.

Players in the Class AA and A leagues hereafter may be released without the customary five-day notice. The convention unanimously adopted a resolution presented by President Baum of the Pacific Coast League calling for the elimination of the five-day clause from the players' contracts. The convention also passed a resolution prohibiting players in every league from participating in any game outside of the regular schedule without the consent of the club owners. The action was directed at players in several eastern leagues, who, under assumed names played on semi-professional and other teams of objectionable character to organize baseball.

President Sexton was elected to membership of the national board of arbitration, to succeed M. F. Justice, former president of the Central Association, who no longer is identified with the game.

NOVEMBER EVENTS IN PUGILISTIC ANNUALS

1907—Billy Papke knocked out Tony Caponi in two rounds at Peoria, Ill. 1909—Joe Jeanette defeated Sidney Russell in fifteen rounds at Paris.

1910—Jack Britton and Young Sawyer fought an eight-round draw at Memphis.

1910—Patsy Kline stopped Billy Allen in eight rounds at Albany, N.Y.

Terry Martin, Norwegian Ring Star.

Terry Martin, welterweight boxer, was born in Moss, Norway, on Nov. 11, 1884. Martin, whose real name is Martin Martinson, was one of the very few Norwegians who have taken to the ring.

While Denmark has produced two world's champions, Battling Nelson and Kid Williams, the Norwegians and Swedes who came to America have never attained much prominence in the ring.

Andre Anderson, the giant Swede "white hope" discovered a few years ago at Chicago, was looked upon as a strong contender for honors, but nothing much ever came of him.

Terry Martin fought his way to the top of the welter-weight ladder, and got higher than any other son of Norway.

He fought several battles with Honey Melody, of Boston, when Hoey was claiming welterweight honors, often knocking Melody out and on another occasion being knocked out himself.

Martin also fought draws with Billy Rhodes, Joe Grim, Jack Blackburn, and others, but was whipped by Mike "Twin" Sullivan and Jimmy Gardner.

His last important bout was in Milwaukee in 1911, when he was knocked out by Bob Moha.

1901—Jim Jeffries knocked out Gus Rubin in five rounds at San Francisco.

1906—Johnny Coulon defeated Charley Kriegel in eight rounds at Davenport, Iowa.

1910—Ray Brönson defeated Sid Sullivan in twenty rounds in Australia.

1910—Jim Barry defeated Jim Stewart in twelve rounds at Boston.

Boxing Classic Twenty-nine Years Ago.

Twenty-nine years ago Jack Dempsey, then at the height of his powers as middleweight champion of the world, and Prof. Mike Donovan, former middleweight champion, engaged in what has always been considered one of the classics of the boxing game. The memorable contest was staged in Brooklyn. Both men were Irish, and there was bad blood between them, and, well, figure it out for yourself. Donovan, after a long retirement, had returned to the ring, just to get a chance to satisfy his grudge against the champion. Despite the fact that Mike was rather advanced in years for such an undertaking—he had fought in the Civil War and thereafter in the ring for twenty years—it was some ruckus. Well, the house was packed to the ceiling to watch the bout, which was scheduled to go for six rounds. Those who expected to see Dempsey "put it all over" the professor, had quite another think coming. The first round was about even. The second round belonged to Mike. The third was again even; in the fourth Dempsey showed up strong, but in the fifth and sixth rounds it was nip and tuck, slam and dodge, biff and feint, with about fifty different things going on every second, and both men using every ounce of strength and every trick of generalship and science known to the game. In the end the referee called it a draw. Youth must be served, so the saying goes, but that was an oft night for youth.

The line ups and score were as follows:

	What Nots.
Whyte	4
Nute	9
Hay	26
Clemonson	2
Total	55
C. A. M. C.	14
Stevens	4
Grant	0
Harwood	6
Gunn	0
McDonald	0
Total	10

AWARDED DECISION.

Spokane, Nov. 17.—Walter Miller, of St. Paul, claimant to the welterweight championship, was awarded a decision over Chris Gecek, of Spokane, former national amateur champion, after two hours of wrestling here last night without a fall.

COCHRANE WINS.

New York, Nov. 17.—Walker Cochran, of Manson, Ia., defeated Leonard Hewison, of Brockville, Ont., by a score of 2,000 to 1,628 in an 18.3 ball billiard match which was finished here last night.

WHEELER WILL HEAD GOLF ASSOCIATION

Chicago, Nov. 16.—The nominating committee of the United States Golf Association made public its nominations, headed by Frederic S. Wheeler, of the Awamans Club, for president yesterday. Nomination is generally equivalent to election, and it is assumed that the slate will be confirmed at the January meeting.

HOCKEYISTS REORGANIZE.

New York, Nov. 17.—The Wanderers Hockey Club, of New York, have come to life again. After being dormant for several winters, they emerged this week and began practice at the St. Nicholas

Rink and to-day announced that they were ready to receive hockey teams, great or small.

WAS THE FOREMOST JOCKEY IN WORLD

Tod Sloan Was Rider for the Late King Edward; Amassed Fortune

There was a time when the name of James Todhunter Sloan, better known as "Tod," appeared in the public print almost daily. As a jockey he was perhaps the foremost in the world, and as a man he was an interesting character study.

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From a poor boy, reared in the backwoods of Indiana, he became the jockey to King Edward of England and a man he was a considerable fortune, which he later lost in various ways.

More than twenty years ago Tod Sloan was a stable boy at the Guttenberg track. He learned the racing game rapidly, and in 1883 he began to attract some attention on the New York tracks.

In 1896 he won the Manhattan handicap with Belmar at the Morris track, and also first place in almost every race of prominence that season. In 1898 he established a world-wide reputation and also piled up a fortune for himself when he won the Brighton cup and the Lawrence realization stakes.

Before the 1898 campaign on the New York tracks Sloan distinguished himself by riding five winners out of six starts. When the season was over in New York he went to England under contract to Lord William Beresford, and in September of that year piloted five consecutive winners at Newmarket.

Sloan rode Lord Beresford's Sibola

to the front in the One Thousand Guineas, in 1899 and won \$20,000 in the Grand Prix the following fall.

The late W. C. Whitney then induced Sloan to come to the United States to ride Ballyhoo Bey in the 1900 futurity, for which he received his entire expenses and a bonus of \$10,000.

In 1905 he was ruled off the turf by the English Jockey Club. No particular reason was made public.

Prosperity got the better of Sloan and he began to lose his grip. He was married to Julia Sanderson, an American actress, and later divorced. He then returned to England and was reinstated as a race track adviser, but was not allowed to ride.

Balgan opened her tracks to him and he went there for several successful seasons.

In 1904 he sued for and was awarded \$40,000 because the Paris Jockey Club refused him the turf on charges that were unsustained.

During the early stages of the war in 1914 he went to the front with the American ambulance and saw a great deal of fighting in the German advance on Paris.

In November, 1915, he was deported from England under the Defence of the Realm Act because of alleged activities with gambling houses.

He arrived in New York a week later and maintained that he had been the subject of a "frame up" to cover some prominent women who were conducting a gambling house for the exclusive use of officers on leave.

Sloan went to the West, where he was recently living in seclusion.

BILLIARD MEN PUT FIRST OF \$300,000 AMBULANCE FUND BY

If all signs do not fail the American billiard ambulance fund of \$300,000 which the cut fans, room-keepers and players of the United States propose to raise for the soldiers in France will be a reality by December 15, the date set for the close of the campaign.</

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AWFUL PRIVATIONS
ON ISOLATED REEF**

Stephen Ryan, Metlakatla Indian, Rescued More Dead Than Alive From Rock

**HIS TWO COMPANIONS
FAILED TO SURVIVE**

Prince Rupert, Nov. 17.—Stephen Ryan, Metlakatla native, believed drowned, has been rescued more dead than alive.

For 15 days, starving, chilled and drenched by waves and rain, he stayed on a small ledge in the open sea off Dundas Island, where his launch had been wrecked. Peter and Richard Robinson succumbed and were washed off the rock.

Ryan made a raft from the shattered launch, but it upset and he swam back to the rock. At every high tide he was all but submerged and when not almost drowned by combers was soaked by constant rains. At nights he fastened himself to rocks by ropes to avoid being blown off, for during the last 16 days hurricanes have prevailed all over the north coast.

His days were spent tramping from end to end of the ledge and packing boulders back and forth to keep warm, but he soon became too weak. He lived on two raw spuds and rainwater. His age is 50 and he had been stout and powerful. When rescued he had shrunk to less than 100 pounds. His clothing was nothing but sodden tatters held together with pieces of cord. For the last three days a raven had been his constant companion on the small sea prison.

**WRITS ARE ISSUED
AGAINST RESPOND
AND THE GERMANIA**

In the Admiralty Court this morning two writs of summons were issued by the Crown against the ships Respond and Germania, respectively for \$911.17 and \$1,472.

In the writ issued against the Respond it is stated that the damage was occasioned by collision with Drill Plant No. 2 in Victoria harbor, on May 1, 1917. The writ against the Germania is of similar damage, at the same place, on May 19, 1917.

In both cases the usual warrants have been issued and the ships have been arrested. J. A. Alkman is acting for the Crown in both cases.

**MRS. H. W. BROWN
WILL BE SPONSOR
AT SHIP LAUNCHING**

Mrs. Herbert William Brown, wife of H. W. Brown, who represents the Canada West Coast Navigation Company, has been selected to act as sponsor to the auxiliary schooner Beatrix Castle, which will be launched at 9:45 a.m. on September 23, from the Point Ellice shipyards of the Cameron-Genoa Mills Shipbuilders, Ltd. His Excellency the Governor-General has consented to be present at the launching ceremony.

HELP
By Subscribing to the
**Victoria Patriotic
Aid Fund**

Breathes there a man with soul so dead,
Who never to himself hath said:
This is my own, my native land.

**Foreshadows Extension
of Coast Shipbuilding**

**Special Representative of British Shipping Controller
Investigating Facilities on Coast; Premier Brewster
May Act on Representative Board**

That the wooden shipbuilding programme in British Columbia is to be extended on a large scale is indicated by the fact that a special representative of the British Government arrived in Victoria early in the week to look into the shipbuilding situation both here and at Vancouver, and to report on the facilities available for the construction of tonnage. It is understood that the scheme involves the construction of an unlimited number of wooden steamships on the British Columbia coast and that the contracts for the building programme will be placed direct by Sir Joseph MacLay, the British shipping controller. Additional color is lent to the probable extension of the shipbuilding industry here by a dispatch from Seattle to-day which states that Hon. H. C. Brewster, Premier of British Columbia, is now in Seattle looking over the Puget Sound shipyards in connection with the extension of the shipbuilding programme at Victoria and Vancouver.

It is understood that Premier Brewster has been approached by the British Shipping controller to act on a board to thoroughly investigate the shipbuilding possibilities in British Columbia, the facilities for turning out ships rapidly, and report on the general situation to the British Government.

While the plans of the British Government with regard to the construction of deep-sea carriers on the British Columbia are still very indefinite, owing to the labor situation, it is known that ships are wanted and that this province will greatly benefit thereby, providing a satisfactory understanding can be reached with contractors and the delivery of a steady stream of vessels guaranteed. The proposals of the British shipping controller, it is understood, are in no way connected with the existing programme of the Imperial Munitions Board.

If contracts are placed here they will be placed direct by the shipping controller or through a special board appointed and sanctioned by him. It is improbable that Premier Brewster will act as chairman of the board.

**HONORED FOR PART IN
SENSATIONAL RESCUE**

Master of Tug Goliah, Who Saved Steamship Presented With Gold Watch

About a year ago Capt. Thomas Nielsen, master of the powerful tugboat Goliah, of the Puget Sound Tugboat Company, rescued the Norwegian steamship Niels Nielsen, which while on her maiden voyage to the Far East, stripped three of her propeller blades in a heavy southwest gale, and was adrift and battered by the full fury of the storm, for several days some 200 miles off the Vancouver Island coast.

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The missing boat could not be found by the Mariposa and Captain O'Brien, of the latter vessel, after searching five hours gave up and proceeded here, where, on the arrival of the vessel, the 29 survivors of the shipwreck were arrested. Included among those arrested is Captain Kolseth.

Warrants Sworn Out.

The warrants on which they were detained were sworn to before Commissioner Burton by agents of the Seattle Steamship Company, who claimed to be in possession of information that the Manhattan's crew participated in the looting of the Alki wreck at Point Augusta. All the men are held under bonds to appear for a hearing before Commissioner Burton on November 21. They face two charges, that of looting a stranded vessel and that of rifling mail sacks.

TIDE TABLE.

Date.	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time
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6	1:39 2:7	10:56 8:3	14:40 6:9
7	1:39 3:5	10:53 8:3	14:40 6:9
8	2:10 4:3	10:53 8:3	19:31 6:3	22:50 6:8
9	4:01 5:0	11:08 8:3	19:18 4:7	22:50 6:8
10	1:27 6:0	4:54 5:7	11:26 8:4	19:24 4:1
11	1:27 6:0	4:54 5:7	11:26 8:4	19:24 4:1
12	1:27 6:0	4:54 5:7	11:26 8:4	19:24 4:1
13	1:27 6:0	4:54 5:7	11:26 8:4	19:24 4:1
14	4:55 7:2	7:03 7:1	12:20 8:8	20:28 1:9
15	12:48 9:0	21:05 1:3
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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 20th meridian west. It is reckoned from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. When twice over the same time the tides rises and falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

Make your money right—Buy Victoria Bonds.

**STRIKE SEEKS TO
BE INEVITABLE**

Ordinary Carpenters Demand Same Wages as Experienced Shipwrights.

**SHIPYARD LABORERS
ALSO WANT INCREASE**

"Six dollars per day or strike." Such is the attitude in a nut shell of the ship carpenters employed in British Columbia shipyards where wooden vessels are being built for the Imperial Munitions Board.

An ultimatum has been presented to the coast directors of the Imperial Munitions Board to the effect that unless the demands of the ship carpenters are complied with by Monday there will be a walk out. The directors of the Munitions Board take the stand that as every effort has been made to settle the long-standing dispute by conciliatory methods, particularly in view that a pledge has been made that the scale of all shipbuilding labor would be arranged in accordance with the findings of the United States Adjustment Board, such scale to be retroactive from September 1 last, that rather than accede to unreasonable demands the wooden shipbuilding yards will be closed down.

The present labor trouble is not confined to the ship carpenters alone. They appear to be responsible for bringing matters to a head. Equal Treatment.

The situation has reached such an acute stage that it seems impossible that a strike can be averted. It was intimated to-day by officials of the Munitions Board that in such an event the contractors would have no course left open to them but to close down the plants affected until such time as a reasonable settlement can be reached.

The crux of the situation is that the ordinary carpenters, the men who prior to the revival of the shipbuilding industry on this coast were house carpenters, etc., who are now learning the wooden shipbuilding trade, are demanding the same scale of wages as paid experienced shipwrights. Consider Selves Essential.

The scarcity of experienced shipwrights led to the introduction into the yards of all kinds of men capable of handling a tool in the carpenter trade. After working a few months these men claim that they are essential to the carrying on of the wooden shipbuilding industry, and therefore are entitled to the same wages as received by the thoroughly qualified shipwright.

In all the wooden shipbuilding yards in British Columbia experienced shipwrights are getting \$6 per day. The ordinary carpenters are getting \$4.50 per day, and as they become more qualified as shipwrights they are entitled to a correspondingly increase in pay.

Dollar Difference.

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Muddled History of Local Works

Ex-Judge Harrison Tells Civic
Retrenchment Assn. City
Needs Separate Charter

That legislation touching the pockets of the ratepayers of the city should express the wishes of the people, and that the only way in which this could be accomplished would be through securing a special charter for the city, was the contention of ex-Judge Harrison at the meeting of the Civic Ratepayers' Association on Thursday night at which he gave an address summarizing the history of local improvements in Victoria since the year 1862.

There was, at one time, a special Act in existence governing the city, said the speaker, and he thought it was to be regretted that it was not now in operation instead of the general Municipal Act. As it was nearly the whole of the province came directly under the Government and control of the Provincial Legislature.

An Act to incorporate the district of Victoria was passed by the House of Assembly of Vancouver Island on June 9, 1862, and received the assent of the Governor of the colony of Vancouver Island in the following August. Victoria being incorporated as a city before the Dominion of Canada, and the consequent province of B.C. came into existence.

In 1865, after the union of the two then united colonies of British Columbia and Vancouver Island, an ordinance was passed (in April, 1867) to incorporate the city of Victoria.

General Municipal Act.

In 1872, after confederation, a general Municipal Act was passed by the Legislature of the province. It would not have applied to Victoria unless it had been asked that it should apply, the city being already incorporated, and there never was any vote taken on the part of the public. It was done by petition of the Mayor and Council. Later, in 1881, the Provincial Legislature passed a new Municipal Act, and applied its provisions to the city, any provisions inconsistent with the general Municipal Act being repealed. This also was unasked for, the Legislature doing it "right off its own bat."

Constant Alterations.

Under the act, said the speaker, anything that Victoria had at all that was inconsistent with the new Act also disappeared, and since 1881 many re-enactments had been passed by the Legislature with regard to municipalities, sometimes the whole Municipal Act disappearing. Then the Municipal Claims Act and a new general Municipal Act came into effect, and little by little, by various further amendments, a very material difference had been brought about. That was a position any city was liable to get in where statutes were handled in that manner.

The Provincial Legislature, in regard to municipal matters, was supreme, having absolute power under the British North American Act, and it exercised its power for years in seeing what authority cities of the province should possess as to local improvements and many other things. This was the power to which they would have to apply if the people of Victoria wanted alleviation from their difficulties. If he were asked where do the members of the Legislature get these powers which they expressed in the form of laws, he would express the opinion that it was ten to one that the men responsible never had the idea that the amendments proposed were to apply to the City of Victoria. Municipal Committees.

Going on to speak of the work of the municipal committees of the Legislature, and the Legislature itself, he stated that some members who had no interests at all in the city would still be able to handle a bill. Whatever the result, nobody was responsible, and in all the different matters the taxpayers had no voice whatever, and no ordinary taxpayer in the city could say how matters stood. But if any of them did happen to become acquainted with the provisions of any part of the Municipal Act there might suddenly be a change, and as to assessments there had been cases where particular individuals had succeeded in getting reductions at Courts of Revision, but there had never been any general readjustment.

Muddle and Jumble.

Power for changes and alterations had been obtained from the Legislature without the knowledge of the ratepayers, who had often been charged enormous costs for work in many instances quite unnecessary. A petition at the last session of the Legislature, asking that this power should be knocked out had, he believed, been acceded to. If this was right and proper, why did it stop in? The last revision took place in 1914, and there would probably be another in 1918, all brought about by the many alterations and amendments which had been intro-

duced. And nobody knew anything about the provisions which were in force for the municipal law of the city. But still one thing had certainly happened. The Acts had steadily and consistently increased the burden of Victoria taxpayers.

It was evident, he held, that legislation affecting the city ought to be separate from other legislation, and he believed this was likely to be done at the coming session. This would be all right for the time being, but the question was how long would it last? If it was desirable that the city have increased population and increased commerce they must have legislation promoting it, and if the City of Victoria had a private Act ratepayers could familiarize themselves with the provisions. Under a general Act all kinds of things came in to carry them away from the one locality. Everything considered, he believed it was a necessity that the city should have a separate charter or private Act.

After a vote of thanks had been passed to ex-Judge Harrison it was moved by A. E. Haynes, and seconded by W. H. Dougan, "that we go on record as favoring a separate charter for the City of Victoria." It was decided, however, to leave the matter over until the next meeting, ex-Judge Harrison considering that the principal thing in the way of expense would be the fees that would have to be paid to the Legislature. "I do not," he added, "see why the Legislature should not incorporate us without any cost, and I believe that if the matter was put up to the Legislature it would be prepared to meet the people."

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FERTILIZER SHORTAGE

Victoria Growers Will Have to Pay Higher for Manure Next Season.

One of the factors which have an important bearing on the increased production movement is the supply of fertilizer, and inquiries made on behalf of the Committee show that there is a considerable shortage of this article in Victoria at the present time. The orders from the city for stable manure, etc., are already three months ahead, and look like carrying the season through till the coming summer without new orders. The street sweepings which the city has disposed of by the load have been seriously criticized as of little use to the average garden on account of the amount of foreign matter which necessarily collects therewith, and does little good to the gardens.

Under these circumstances endeavors have been made to ascertain other sources of supply. The whaling industry would naturally be expected to afford a supply, but its fertilizer is sold chiefly in California under contract and that outlook holds out no promise. There is undoubtedly a decrease of supplies, the number of horses having been affected by the popularity of motor lorries and the advancing price of feed.

Where lands have been denuded of their natural supply of the essential chemicals to plant life, some restoration is necessary, and there seems to be a decided shortage in this respect. There is very little waste from hotels, restaurants, etc., the practice being to dispose of it for feeding swine. It has not been possible yet to state where the shortage will be made up in 1918, particularly if as is hoped, the area under cultivation shows an advance on 1917.

A man recently bereaved of his wife interviewed the minister about the arrangements.

"When is the funeral?" asked the clergyman.

"Monday," was the reply.

"Monday!" ejaculated the minister.

"That's a long time to keep the body; a whole week."

"Well, ye see," said the bereft, "it's like this: When we got married, the wife an' me made up our minds to hiv' a quiet week at home the first chance we got. We're just hivin' it now."

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Scrip certificates, non-negotiable, or payable to bearer, in accordance with the choice of the applicant for registered or bearer bonds, will be issued after allotment in exchange for provisional receipts. When these scrip certificates have been paid in full, and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money, they may be exchanged for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer, or registered as to principal, or for fully registered bonds when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

Delivery of interim certificates and of definitive bonds will be made through the Chartered Banks.

Bearer bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, and \$1,000, and may be registered as to principal only. Fully registered bonds, the interest on which is paid direct to the owner by Government cheque, will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 or any authorized multiple of \$5,000.

Subject to the payment of 25 cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons will have the right to convert into bonds of the denomination of \$1,000 with coupons, and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds of authorized denominations without coupons, at any time, on application to the Minister of Finance.

Surrender of Bonds

Holders of Dominion of Canada Debenture Stock, due October 1st, 1919, and of bonds of the three preceding Dominion of Canada War Loan Issues, have the privilege of surrendering their bonds in part payment for subscriptions to bonds of this issue, under the following conditions:

Debenture Stock, due October 1st, 1919, at Par and Accrued Interest.

War Loan Bonds, due December 1st, 1925, at 97½ and Accrued Interest.

(The above will be accepted in part payment for bonds of any of the three maturities of this Issue.)

War Loan Bonds, due October 1st, 1931, at 97½ and Accrued Interest.

War Loan Bonds, due March 1st, 1937, at 96 and Accrued Interest.

(These will be accepted in part payment for bonds of the 1937 maturity ONLY of this Issue.)

Bonds of the various maturities of this issue will, in the event of future issues of like maturity, or longer, made by the Government, other than issues made abroad, be accepted at par and accrued interest, as the equivalent of cash for the purpose of subscription to such issues.

Issue Price Par

Free from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

Payment to be made as follows:

10% on December 1st, 1917	20% on March 1st, 1918
10% on January 2nd, 1918	20% on April 1st, 1918
20% on February 1st, 1918	20% on May 1st, 1918

A full half year's interest will be paid on 1st June, 1918.

The Bonds therefore give a net yield to the investor of about:

5.61% on the 20 year Bonds

5.68% on the 10 year Bonds

5.81% on the 5 year Bonds

All payments are to be made to a Chartered Bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture, and the allotment to cancellation. Subscriptions accompanied by a deposit of 10% of the amount subscribed, must be forwarded through the medium of a Chartered Bank. Any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank will forward subscriptions and issue provisional receipts.

In case of partial allotments the surplus deposit will be applied toward payment of the amount due on the January instalment.

Subscriptions may be paid in full on January 2nd, 1918, or on any instalment due date thereafter under discount at the rate of 5½% per annum. Under this provision payments of the balance of subscriptions may be made as follows:

If paid on January 2nd, 1918, at the rate of 89.10795 per \$100.
If paid on February 1st, 1918, at the rate of 79.46959 per \$100.
If paid on March 1st, 1918, at the rate of 59.72274 per \$100.
If paid on April 1st, 1918, at the rate of 39.90959 per \$100.

Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank, or from any Victory Loan Committee, or member thereof.

The books of the Loan will be kept at the Department of Finance, Ottawa.

Application will be made in due course for the listing of this issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

Subscription Lists will close on or before December 1st, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
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HOPE RETURNED MEN WILL GO CAREFULLY

Danger of Split Vote and a Socialist for Nanaimo Riding

Several delegates to the nominating convention on Thursday have expressed their regret that some of the returned soldiers have deemed it advisable to hold a mass meeting this evening for the purpose of discussing the advisability of bringing out a candidate of their own in opposition to Mr. McIntosh, the unanimous choice of the convention.

It is pointed out in particular that by the entrance of another candidate holding precisely the same views, as far as present Government war policy is concerned, as those held by the chosen Unionist candidate, would simply mean a split vote with the probable return of the Socialist candidate as the final issue.

Discussing the matter with one of the delegates this morning The Times was informed that the question of extended soldier representation at the convention, from three to twenty-five, was agreed to be dropped by the accredited Great War Veterans' delegates themselves, who sought to preserve perfect harmony in the assembly and permit it to choose a man for whom all factions could work for his return to Ottawa.

One of the chief features of the Unionist movement in the Victoria, Nanaimo and other ridings was simply and purely to prevent the return of a man to Ottawa, who was not in sympathy with the aims and objects calculated to ensure Canada's full participation in the Empire's war work, the supply of men as a paramount plank in that Unionist platform.

The general feeling on the street today is one of hope that the returned men at an unofficial gathering, unrecognized by their own Association, tonight will allow wise counsels to prevail and not create a condition with grave risks of a split vote.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE—By a recent ruling of the Minister of Finance all denominations of bonds are now registerable.

ITALIAN NAVY IS BEARING ITS SHARE

Bombarding Enemy From Sea; Teutons Continue Their Propaganda Efforts

Italian Headquarters in Northern Italy, Nov. 16.—Via Rome and London, Nov. 17.—(By The Associated Press)—The booming of Italian naval guns could be heard distinctly here this morning, showing that the navy as well as the army was doing its part. The fire of the naval guns was directed against the enemy positions on the lower Plave. Reports received during the early hours continued to be favorable.

The inundated section between the Plave and the Site Rivers effectively holds the enemy at most exposed points and for 15 miles on the west bank of the Plave. The flooded sector covers about seventy square miles and the water is from a foot to five feet deep, depending on the topography, making the area impossible of occupation or for the movement of enemy troops. While this section is blocked by water the enemy troops still cling to the west bank at Zenzen, but they are crowded into a small U-shaped position and are relying on their batteries across the river to keep the Italians back.

Austro-German efforts to bring over large forces by pontoons have not succeeded, according to latest reports, either at Zenzen or at points farther north; where the invaders are feeling their way toward getting across.

Enemy attacks in the Asiago section of the eastern Trentino front are very heavy, with the evident purpose of trying to separate the Italians in the Trentino from those on the Plave front.

Enemy air raiders were seen flying over the Italian headquarters early to-day. The batteries fired on them, but the craft got away. They did no damage.

The Situation.

Washington, Nov. 17.—Official dispatches from Rome describe the situation on the fighting front as follows:

"The enemy continues to exert the greatest pressure against the extreme left on the Italian line, attempting in the meantime to force through the right in the swampy region along the sea. The attacks in the Giudecaria area have been successfully repulsed.

"The enemy continues a campaign of defamation against the Italian army and people, trying to insinuate in the opinion of the world the impression that Italy is militarily and politically incapable of resisting the Austro-German pressure. To such insinuations Italy opposes an admirable conduct of unity, discipline and determination, while the army fights gallantly on the new line of resistance and gradually re-establishes its military equilibrium. We warn the press of the world against German falsehoods."

COST OF LIVING IS STEADILY MOUNTING UP, OTTAWA STATES

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—An increase in the average cost of a family budget of staple foods owing to the higher prices of meat, eggs and dairy products, is shown in the monthly report of the Department of Labor.

"At the middle of October a list of 30 food costs \$11.81, as compared with \$11.65 in September; \$9.30 in October last year, and \$7.98 in October, 1914. In wholesale prices the Department index number declined slightly in October owing to the lower prices for fruits, vegetables, and coke, although textiles, meats, fish and dairy products went upward.

LAURIER LIBERALS AT MISSION CITY

Mission City, Nov. 17.—The adoption of a resolution endorsing Sir Wilfrid Laurier's manifesto, a determination promptly to extinguish at the first opportunity any speeches in favor of unionism, and a challenge by George M. Murray as to the right of Donald Downie to speak in the debate, were the features of the morning session of a convention of Laurier Liberals being held here to-day.

Mr. Murray moved that the Laurier manifesto be adopted in toto. Messrs. Downie and Wade agreed that the debate was timely.

Hector Ferguson, of Port Hawke, immediately objected. He said for conservatism and if the meeting was to proceed along strict Laurier lines he could not remain.

Mr. Ferguson interposed with the statement that Sir Wilfrid had given his followers latitude to the extent that they might still support him though differing from him on conservatism.

Mr. Ferguson insisted that he could not remain under the suggested circumstances and shortly afterward left the hall.

After the noon adjournment he was surrounded by the Vancouver delegates and was engaged by them in animated debate.

PREPARATIONS FOR ALLIES' CONFERENCE

London, Nov. 17.—The time for the meeting of the members of the American Mission to the Inter-Allied Conference with the heads of the corresponding British Departments for the purpose of coordinating the work done by individual departments since the arrival of the American representatives has been fixed for next Tuesday at noon in Mr. Lloyd George's office. This will be the first joint conference at which will be indicated the conclusions which have been reached as to the best methods of prosecuting the war more effectively through co-operation between Great Britain and the United States.

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MUCH IS EXPECTED FROM CLEMENCEAU

No Indulgence for New French Government If It Fails

Paris, Nov. 17.—The Clemenceau Cabinet, on the whole, is received favorably by the press, but the editors are all careful to make it clear that much is expected from the new Premier, and that failure to produce results will meet with little indulgence.

M. Clemenceau is welcomed because it is believed he will deal out exemplary justice to enemies at home without consideration as to who is affected, and also will inject new vigor into the conduct of the war.

"These considerations, in which instant has as much of a part as reason, have irresistibly borne M. Clemenceau to power," says the Figaro. "We do not ask for speeches or fine shading of thought, but for propulsive action and real justice."

This quotation represents the comment of all the newspapers in Paris and the provinces with the exception of the Socialist organs, which are merciless in their criticism of the new Premier.

M. Renaudel, editor of L'Humanité, asks whether M. Clemenceau will live up to "all we know of him."

"That is the question, and the stake is the salvation of the country" he continues. "Events will show whether it was right to call M. Clemenceau to power or whether it would have been right to try to keep him out."

Censorship.

The Clemenceau Government, it is reported, will suppress the political censorship. As to the military and diplomatic censorship, a special office will be established at the War Department to advise the newspapers daily as to what news ought not to be published as dangerous to the conduct of the war. An editor disregarding the advice would risk court-martial.

As regards charges of treason and relations with the enemy, it is stated that the Premier intends to avail himself of the existing special war legislation to refer all such cases to military tribunals.

At present treason is tried before a military tribunal and cases of commerce with the enemy before a civil tribunal.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—There were 143 names of officers and western men in a casualty list issued at noon to-day. Of this number 16 reported killed in action and 76 died of wounds. The following are included in the list:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Lieut. V. A. Stone, Hamilton; Lieut. E. C. Platt, Montreal; Lieut. Donald Lyon, Hamilton; Pte. A. Burrows, Vancouver.

Died of wounds—Pte. J. A. Highter, Vancouver.

Gassed—Pte. J. Aitken, Vancouver.

Missing; believed killed in action—Lieut. N. Newcombe, Viscount, St. John.

Wounded; returned to duty—Pte. E. Pearson, Vancouver; Sgt. F. H. Ryer, Vancouver; Lieut. M. F. Douglas, Victoria.

Missing—Lieut. J. H. Deans, Orillia.

Wounded—Pte. W. F. Darragh, Vancouver; Capt. (Acting Major) A. E. Turner, England; Capt. M. M. Anlin, M.C. St. John, N.B.; Pte. W. McIntosh, Prince Rupert; Pte. A. Urquhart, Vancouver; Pte. J. W. Haldane, Chase, B.C.; Pte. J. W. Bertram, Vancouver; Pte. P. Crummer, Vancouver; Pte. G. L. Nanaimo, Nanaimo; Lance-Corp. F. Fieldhouse, Victoria; Pte. J. B. McIlwaine, Vancouver; Pte. T. L. Lugg, New Westminster; Pte. J. McClay, Merritt; Pte. D. R. W. Muir, Victoria; Lieut. John Bain, Calgary; Lieut. E. S. Brett, Calgary; Lieut. G. T. Shaw, Youngstown, Alta.; Lieut. M. E. Patterson, Medicine Hat; Pte. C. J. Pitblado, Vancouver; Lieut. A. McKinney, Montreal; Lieut. R. McKay, Hamilton; Sgt. E. N. Couch, Vancouver; Lieut. D. K. Turner, M.C., Calgary; Lieut. F. Haines, Winnipeg; Lieut. H. C. Stiver, Winnipeg; Lieut. H. E. George, Kerrobert; Lieut. L. M. Wilson, Winnipeg; Pte. A. Motherwell, New Westminster; Pte. A. E. Kelly, West Vancouver.

Mounted Rifles.

III—Pte. G. D. Wood, Vancouver.

Pte. Thomas Collier, Nanaimo.

Medical Services.

Gassed—Captain W. H. Scott, Edmonton.

Wounded—Pte. A. Workman, Burnaby.

Artillery.

Missing—Lieut. G. A. Cockburn, Toronto.

Prisoner-of-war—Lieut. C. Smythe, M.C., Toronto.

Wounded—Gnr. A. P. McNair, Vancouver; Gnr. W. Mitchell, Kerrisdale; Gnr. J. Horrocks, Princeton.

Engineers.

Gassed—Sapper Robert Strain, Vancouver.

MORE FOR WORKERS IN MINES; COAL DEarer

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LIGHT TRADING ON NEW YORK MARKET

Car Equipment and Locomotive Stocks Are Strong; Complicated State

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

New York, Nov. 17.—The stock market here acted very well to-day after a quiet week, the only activity appearing in the specialty group. Baldwin Locomotive was particularly well taken. There was evidence that a short interest is trying to retire from the motor stocks. There are signs of returning investment confidence with the stopping of demoralizing liquidation.

These conservative quarters, it is believed, will try to make conclusive analysis of the speculative situation for long distance guidance, owing to the complicated conditions and changing factors.

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CAME ON STRETCHERS NOW IN HOSPITAL

Pte. George Green and Pte. E. Bentley Took Part in Big Fighting

The spirit of cheery optimism displayed by the wounded soldiers is nowhere more evident than in the case of Private George Green, who returned to Victoria on Wednesday last and is now an inmate of St. Joseph's Hospital suffering from paralysis of the lower limbs, the result of a bullet in the spine.

Private Green, who was formerly employed at the Westholme Hotel, left Victoria with the 67th Battalion, with which unit he was serving when he received a gunshot wound in the spine on October 16, 1916, during the fighting at Ypres.

After being in a base hospital until such time as he was fit to be moved, he was sent to Netley British Red Cross Hospital, near Southampton, where he spent eight months, then a

Increased Production Committee

Those desirous of having Fall ploughing done by the City are requested to apply immediately to J. B. Tighe, Engineer's Office, City Hall. Ploughing will be finally discontinued for this year as soon as the orders now on hand, and received during the next few days, are finished.

A. E. TODD, Mayor.

VICTORIA TAXPAYERS NOVEMBER 30

will be
LAST DAY
on which

REBATE

of one-sixth will be allowed on 1917 Taxes. Please remit or call early to avoid rush on last day.

Information respecting taxes furnished on application.

Taxes which become delinquent are penalized by loss of rebate and by addition of 8% interest, and also render the property liable to be sold for taxes, interest and costs.

EDWIN C. SMITH,
Treasurer and Collector.

Victoria, B. C., November 17, 1917.

If You Get Home From Town Late

Lots of times when you've been downtown and get home so late that dinner goes on the stove with a rush, it's good to have a few quick recipes like this stowed away in the back of your head.

This one is awfully simple, and it is good. We often make it when we get home after work. Call it Emergency Pudding, if you want a name:

1 cup of flour, half teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoonsfuls of baking powder and 1/2 of a cup of Pacific Milk. (Don't use the milk at full strength. The 1/2 cup should really be about half water.)

Put into cups and steam 10 minutes. Pour crushed fresh or preserved fruit over it and serve hot. It's real nice.

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month in Mrs. Astor's hospital at Taplow.

Private Green speaks in terms of the highest praise of the splendid treatment meted out to wounded Tommies at these institutions.

On June 18 he was sent to Canada, and received treatment at Kingston, Ontario, Military Hospital for three months, and Toronto for one month, whence he was sent in the hospital train which reached Vancouver a few days ago.

In the next bed to Private Green at St. Joseph's is Private E. Bentley, whose wife lives at 528 Toronto Street. He, too, was a stretcher case, on the same hospital train as Private Green. Leaving Victoria with the 103rd Battalion, "Timber Wolves," in July, 1916, he was transferred in England to the 2nd C. M. R.'s, with whom he saw two months' service before having his thigh badly shattered by gunshot at Vimy Ridge on April 25 of this year.

After undergoing numerous operations at various hospitals in England, he was sent back to Canada, spending ten days at Kingston Military Hospital en route across the continent. Despite the fact that he faces the prospect of another operation for the removal of a piece of shrapnel which has so far evaded the surgeon's knife, Private Bentley, instead of bewailing his fate, finds solace in expressing his enjoyment of the trip across Canada. Fine weather, cordial receptions at every station where the train stopped, and the splendid arrangements of the hospital train made the trip an enjoyable memory, instead of, as one would suppose, a tedious journey.

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LOCAL WILLS

Estate of John Parker, Late of Victoria, Sworn for Probate at \$28,237.

Probates of the wills of deceased persons issued in the Supreme Court Registry during the week are as follows:

John Parker, who died at Victoria, July 22, 1917; to Alexander Lindsay and Joseph Puntin Stewart (otherwise Joseph Stewart), with estate sworn at \$28,237.59.

John Franklin Le Drew, who died on active service on July 7, 1917; to Edgar Gatehouse and Albert Louis Kinsel, with estate at \$2,152.

Grace Ann Maisonneuve (otherwise Newhouse), late of Westholme, B. C., who died September 16, 1917, to Alexander Maisonneuve (otherwise Newhouse), with estate sworn at \$1,433.

William Irwin Shelton, who died on September 16, 1917, at Duncan; to Maria Shelton, with estate sworn at \$1,320.

Letters of administration, with will annexed, have been granted in the estate of George Pettit, who died at Victoria, August 24, 1917, to R. T. Williams, lawful attorney of the executrix, Araminta A. Hager; with estate sworn at \$8,566.

S. P. C. A. Annual Meeting.—On Tuesday, November 20, the annual meeting of the S. P. C. A. will be held in the Y. W. C. A., Douglas Street, at 8 p.m.

Suggestion on Eczema

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ISLAND MEN WHO ARE MANY TIMES WOUNDED

Veterans in the War Who Recover and Go Back to Fight Again

Leaving the city three weeks after the outbreak of the war, Gunner James A. Watson is for the third time in hospital following injuries sustained in action. Although he had seen great deal of fighting he escaped unscathed during the first two years, receiving his first wound in April, 1917. Last month he was gassed, and on November 8 he was wounded in the face, and is now in the No. 6 Field Ambulance Hospital. His father who for a number of years was chief of the City Fire Department, is serving with the Forestry Battalion in Scotland, and his two brothers are with the forces. William in the R. F. C., and the other with the 5th Division Artillery.

Seen Much Service.

Another soldier from Vancouver Island who has received three wounds is Pte. Thomas Robinson, son of Mrs. R. Robinson, Carey Road, Saanich, one of whose sons has been killed in action and the other three are serving with the colors. Pte. T. Robinson was gassed on November 8, having only recently returned to the fighting line following similar experiences. He has been at the front for over two years, and has taken part in many fierce struggles.

Twice Wounded.

Twice wounded has been Corp. W. H. Seymour, of Salt Spring Island, where his wife and two children are living, and he has a brother who has been wounded on no less than six occasions. Corp. Seymour was wounded in the shoulder on October 29, the former occasion having been during the fighting on the Somme a year ago. He went from here with the 62nd Battalion early in 1915, afterwards being transferred to the 172nd Battalion. His parents are living at 452 Moss Street, Victoria, and another of their sons, Sergt. L. C. Seymour, of the 27th Battalion is with a bombing platoon.

Severely Wounded.

Pte. Douglas R. W. Muir, son of the late John Muir of Sooke, and brother of Mrs. A. J. Harvey, has been severely wounded and is now in the Stationary Hospital, St. Omer. Pte. Muir left here with the B. C. Platoon of the Canadian Cycle Corps, afterwards being transferred to the 72nd Seaforth Highlanders.

Wounded in Foot.

Corp. Thomas William Hall, late principal of Burnside School, has been admitted into No. 4 Casualty Clearing Station suffering from gunshot wounds in the left foot, according to a telegram received here by Mrs. Maude Hall, his wife. He left the city with the 103rd Battalion, later being transferred to the 29th Battalion.

VICTORIA FUSILIERS

PARADE MONDAY NIGHT

When "A" and "B" Companies Will Be Inspected by Maj.-Gen. R. G. E. Leckie

There will be a parade of both "A" and "B" Companies of the 88th Regiment, Victoria Fusiliers, at 8 p.m. on Monday in connection with the guard of honor of a lieutenant and fifteen men which, in addition to two officers and men from the 2nd Depot Battalion, B.C. Regiment, at the Willows, the 88th is to provide on the occasion of the arrival in the city of the Governor-General on Tuesday morning. The parade at 8 o'clock will be inspected by Major-General Leckie, G.O.C., M.D., No. 11. There will be no parade of "A" Company on Tuesday night.

The guard will parade at 7.20 a.m. sharp on Tuesday morning and will move off a few minutes later for the C. P. R. landing stage.

For the information of those attending this guard it is notified that men will be permitted to wear their uniforms during the morning so as to obviate the necessity of going home after the parade is dismissed to change into civilian clothing.

AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

His Excellency the Governor-General Will Arrive There to Spend an Hour on Friday.

Further details of the reception to the Duke of Devonshire on Friday afternoon at the High School have been completed for submission through the Central Committee to His Excellency for approval. The Governor-General, on arrival, will be received by a company of cadets at the Grant Street entrance, and then will enter the school in time to see the students at work in the various class rooms. When the extensive building has been traversed, the students will file into the Auditorium, and the formal proceedings will commence.

In addition to the gubernatorial suite, Lieut-Governor and Mrs. Barnard, Hon. H. C. Brewster, Hon. J. D. and Mrs. Maclean, Mayor Todd and Mrs. Todd, and the Chairmen of the School Boards, with their wives, will be invited. A number of local trustees will also attend. Principal Smith will preside, and introduce Chairman George Jay to present the address from the schools. It is often expected His Excellency will reply, and the vice-regal party will proceed after the National Anthem to fulfil other engagements.

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With the Canadian Engineers at Shoreham.

EXTEND INVITATION TO U.S. OFFICERS

Maj.-Gen. Green and Staff May Attend Reception to Governor-General

A message received in the city today from Seattle states that Major-General H. A. Green and staff, of Camp Lewis, yesterday received an official invitation to attend the reception in honor of the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada, who will be a visitor in Victoria next week.

The invitation came from Major-General R. G. Edward Leckie, C. M. G., the general officer commanding at Victoria, and was delivered to General Green at Camp Lewis yesterday afternoon by Captain A. J. Jukes, an aide de camp on the staff of Major-General Leckie.

SOLDIERS RETURNED

Further Party From Western Front Arrive This Afternoon by Vancouver Boat.

The following returned officers and soldiers arrived in the city by the boat from Vancouver this afternoon: Lieut. Rowe and Ptes. McMillan, Manning and Gibson.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS.—A young girl from Maple Ridge was brought to the Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster, on Sunday evening suffering apparently from poliomyelitis, or infantile paralysis, and died Wednesday morning. This is the third case of this disease coming from that municipality, all in the vicinity of Port Hammond, recently. The first came in almost six weeks ago and the patient is now on the road to recovery. The latest was only a mild case. The latest is not definitely known to be poliomyelitis, although several doctors have been consulted, including Dr. Carter, of Vancouver, who was through the big epidemic in New York. Dr. S. C. McEwen, medical health officer, says that there is no cause for alarm.

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Painting Hose Wagon

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 19, 1917, for painting and varnishing a combination hose wagon.

All tenders to be marked on outside of envelope. Tender for painting wagon and to be accompanied by a marked cheque for five per cent. of the amount of the tender, made payable to the City Treasurer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,
City Purchasing Agent.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 13, 1917.

NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of Sarah Matilda Englehardt, late of Victoria, British Columbia, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate of Sarah Matilda Englehardt, deceased, on or before the 31st day of December, 1917, to send to the undersigned, solicitors for the executors, the amount of their claims against her Estate.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims against the Estate of Sarah Matilda Englehardt, deceased, on or before the 31st day of December, 1917, to send to the undersigned, solicitors for the executors, the amount of their claims against her Estate.

Dated this 25th day of October, 1917.

EDWELL LAWSON & MAYER,
52 Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

Solicitors for the Executors.

NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of Theo- philus Elford, Late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above Estate are requested to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said Estate are requested to send to the undersigned, on or before the 26th day of November, 1917.

DATED this 26th day of October, 1917.

WATER & JAY,
Solicitors for the Executors,
65-7 Central Building, Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE

In the Matter of an Undivided Nine-

teeth Interest in Lot 153, Alberni

District, and in All Gold and Sil-

ver Within, Upon, or Under Lot

153G, Alberni District.

NOTICE

In the Matter of Part of Lot 1, of Sub

Lot 1, Fernwood Estate, Victoria

City, B. C.

NOTICE having been filed of the loss of

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and No. 6284, issued to Richard Temple

on the 2nd day of November, 1917,

and the 25th April, 1919, respectively.

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Pure Spices	10c	English Beef Suet	40c

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Returned Men's Mass Meeting
To-night; Unrecognized Officially by G. W. V. A.

At the new quarters of the local branch of the Great War Veterans' Association this evening returned soldiers of the Nanaimo riding will meet for the purpose of discussing a situation which has arisen in connection with the proceedings at Duncan on Thursday which resulted in the Unionist Convention choosing J. C. McIntosh to be the Fusion candidate at the forthcoming Federal contest.

The executive of the Great War Veterans' Association met yesterday and received a deputation of returned men who explained the matter as they saw it. In view of the fact that three delegates had been officially sent by the organization and had agreed to the making of Mr. McIntosh's nomination unanimously, it was impossible for them to take any action on the matter. With that decision before them the returned men, who are dissatisfied with the issue of the convention, rented the hall from the official body and will take up the question with their colleagues in mass meeting to-night.

Returned soldiers residing in Esquimalt, Oak Bay and Saanich and any undischarged men possessing voting qualifications, irrespective of domicile, are asked to attend. The chief business before the meeting will be the question of running a candidate of their own. In this connection Major Harvey, officer commanding "I" unit Military Hospitals Commission Command, has consented to address the gathering. It will be remembered that the Major polled 32 votes as against 32 votes by Mr. McIntosh on the second ballot of the convention.

The bone of contention with some of the returned men is that they should have been given wider representation than the three who were the accredited and officially invited representatives of the Great War Veterans' Association. At the afternoon session of the convention the request for the full delegation of 25 was withdrawn so that the harmony of the gathering might be preserved. That this action did not appeal to some of their comrades is evident by the programme slated for to-night.

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A Mass Meeting Of the Women Voters

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on Thursday, November 22, 1917

at 8.15 p.m.

When Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K. C. M. G., and Dr. S. F. Tolmie, the Unionist candidate, will address the meeting.

**ANOTHER PLAN TO
REACH GORDON HEAD**

Saanich Officials Have
Proposal for Irrigation Meet-
ing Next Week

When the question of Saanich irrigation is taken up next week, there will be some change from the outline discussed at the preliminary meeting at Royal Oak recently.

At that meeting the discussion had centred round the proposal to proceed with a main along Shelburne Street to Feltman Road, and thence to Gordon Head. When the meeting takes place next week, it will be suggested by the Saanich officials that the district could be better served by leaving Shelburne Street near the Cedar Hill Cross Road, and proceeding in a northeasterly direction across subdivision land to Gordon Head Road. It is believed that better service could be given by that route, the laterals running westerly through the strawberry and other orchards.

If the City will sanction the taking up of portion of the Lake Road main, replacing it where needed by smaller diameter pipe, there will be five miles of pipe available for installation. To obtain new pipe, apart from existing stocks, is practically impossible now, so that any scheme will have to adapt itself to utilize material now on hand.

The city officials will not, of course, go beyond the statement made publicly until they have had a chance of looking into the situation more fully on the ground with the aid of the data gathered by Saanich officials some months ago.

There is a good deal of interest taken in the proposal at Gordon Head, those who would not consider the project from a purely irrigation standpoint being willing to entertain the proposal for domestic purposes, as the past two dry summers have shown the inadequacy of wells for house services. Everything depends on keeping the cost down, and supplying the water at a reasonable rate. The fact that the Municipal Council has cut down the frontage rate in the water district since the installation is encouraging.

INSTRUCTOR IN FRANCE
Lieut. Richard W. Day, of Victoria, Appointed at Canadian Corps Training School.

Lieut. Richard W. Day, who is a son of R. S. and Mrs. Day, of Victoria, and who, before the war, attended the Central School and was in the office of James & James, architects, of this city, has received the appointment as permanent instructor in the Canadian Corps Training School in France. In September last he was sent by his unit to the training school for a course of instruction, and there came out top of a class of between 150 and 200. With the consent of his battalion it has been arranged that he will remain as permanent instructor. He will went overseas in the early part of 1916, reached

France in August, became attached to the 5th Battalion in November, and had since taken part in much of the hard fighting.

**QUARTERLY MEETING
OF DIOCESAN BOARD**

"Quiet Day for Women" to Be
Held in Christ Church on
November 30

The quarterly meeting of the Diocesan Board was held yesterday in Christ Church Cathedral school room, the Oak Bay Branch acting as hostesses. Mrs. de Pencier was welcomed as one of the Vice-Presidents of the General Board, and her report of the annual meeting held in Ottawa last month was full of interest. The united thank offering totalled \$24,531.55 from an adult membership of 35,300, the whole amount being devoted to training missionaries for the work at home and abroad.

"Mrs. Penketh moved a resolution of hearty congratulation to Miss Rachel Ard upon the recent recognition of her work given by the military authorities in England for having the most efficiently managed Voluntary Aid Hospital in England, which carried unanimously. A short address of special interest was given by Miss Boulton, who is on furlough from her work as C. M. S. Missionary for the past 34 years in Japan. Her work had been at first educational, in the C. M. S. Girls' School in Osaka, now known as the Bishop Poole Memorial School with over two hundred girl pupils.

After ten years Miss Boulton commenced the work of training women workers as missionaries in the Japanese homes, and later she took up evangelizing among the higher class of Japanese women in their homes, where the C. M. S. Missionaries are very well received.

Miss Boulton made a special appeal for more workers in her church embroidery class, which is held every Wednesday afternoon in the Cathedral School

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At the evening session Bishop School announced that he would hold a "Quiet Day" for women in the Cathedral on St. Andrew's Day, Friday, November 30, details of which will be distributed later. The Bishop's address on Canon Gould's recent trip through the Great Northwest as far north as Herschel Island was full of interest and information with regard to the work of Church of England in these distant parts.

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